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THE EXPENDITURE OF THE NEVADA FUND

Report of Special Commissioner Goes to Show That Fears of Republican Members of Thirteenth General Assembly Were Well Founded ---Senate Settled the Kansas Water Suit Dispute.

Special to the Gazette.

Denver, Feb. 12.—Some time ago Governor Peabody appointed a special commissioner, Louis B. Schwanbeck, to examine into the expenditure of the so-called incidental fund by the last administration. The report was completed and handed to his excellency today, and is exceedingly critical in its discussion of the manner in which the money was expended. The report holds that the money was not spent as had been intended; that overcharges were made on every hand, that incompetent clerks were paid large salaries just to liquidate political debts, and that the proper safeguards were not thrown around the public treasury. The report is in full as follows:

To His Excellency, James H. Peabody, Governor of Colorado:

"Dear Sir—Pursuant to your appointment and verbal instructions, I have the honor to herewith submit to you in as short and concise a manner as the time would allow:

"My findings as to the expenditures of the general incidental fund, consisting of two appropriations, one for the sum of $251,500, and the other for the sum of $78,000, making a total of $329,000, the total expended being $279,881.62, leaving a balance of $49,518.38 unexpended and transferred to general revenue.

"The state auditor, for some reason, merged both appropriations into one fund. The acts appropriating this vast sum were very inexplicit and the proper safeguards were not placed therein to properly guard the same, which was no doubt done for the reason that it was mutually understood by the legislature and the state auditing board that certain loans to state institutions by the Denver clearing house should be paid from this fund, which was not done; instead, the open door was used and the fund dispersed for any purpose except that for which it was intended.

"The printing bills, amounting to the vast sum of $138,477.85, paid from this fund, are certainly outrageously extravagant, not only in the prices charged, but also as to the amount of supplies furnished.

"Take it for granted that the state board of health had really received the number of letter heads, envelopes, pamphlets, bulletins, circulars, etc., etc. Is there even a member of the board who will stand up and say that those supplies were used, mailed or distributed?

"I have made an exact copy of all the supplies furnished to the said board of health and marked Exhibit 'A.'

"I have also made extracts at random from the printing bills of some of the state offices, and which are marked Exhibit 'B.'

"I have examined every voucher in detail and have my notes on hand and can furnish you on short notice a detailed account, pertaining to any department of the state or any item therein.

"The number of reports for state officers and state bureaus are certainly out of all proportion to the needs for distribution. Two hundred and fifty copies instead of 1,000 or more, would, in my opinion, be quite sufficient; the law in former years limited the number to 150 copies, which might not be adequate enough for the state auditor and state treasurer, whose reports are more in demand than any other, particularly the auditor's.

"Extract from the appropriation bill, on page 33, Session Laws 1901, states, among other things: 'So far as possible, the necessary supplies and particularly the printing required to be done for the several offices and departments of the state government, shall be furnished and done in as large quantities as practical.' This has been carried out to the letter; the legislature meant it all well, but they did not expect it to be carried out, literally, to the extreme. Of course, 5,000 letterheads are comparatively cheaper than 500, but the requisitions for 5,000 or 10,000 at a clip came as regularly as 500 or 1,000 would have come.

"I have compared the 1901 and 1902 printing contract with 1903 and 1904 and find that the prices of the new contract are from 10 to 50 per cent, below the old one, and which amounts to an average reduction of about 30 per cent. Kistler's contract is about in the same proportion.

"A way might be found whereby a contract could be canceled or not accepted, if only one bidder should appear.

"The secretary of state should have the power to purchase in open market any article not listed on the contracts, it is on these specials where the high charges come in. As a rule the items listed in state contracts are misleading, and the least used, and some of them are so ridiculously low in price, that anyone can see that the state has no use for any such supplies and is therefore used only as a blind. Kistler's contract, for instance, shows a certain letter press, contract price 50 cents, real price about $15, which, of course, will never be used.

"The present legislature should enact a law creating the office of commissioner of printing and supplies, under the direct supervision of the secretary of state, who shall be a practical printer and well versed in all matters of supplies; be under heavy bonds and be held responsible for any carelessness and extravagance. He should receive a good salary in order that a good and responsible person could be placed in that position. I know that the present secretary of state has inaugurated a new system, whereby each department's bills are filed separately, and that thereby any extravagant requisition can be properly checked.

"The old Kistler contract seems to have been an evasion of supplies rather than articles really need, for the figures in themselves will show. (See exhibit 'C.') that of the total amount of Kistler's bill in the sum of $9,959.86, but a small proportion, $2,010.32, or 20.19 per cent., is on contract, leaving 79.81 per cent. of the total, special or no contract. Of the $2,010.32 supplies, one item, official ribbons alone, amounted to $572.50, or 28.47 per cent. of the total contract supplies.

"Quite a sum of money, $5,137, was expended for the purpose, as of examining county treasurers, as to interest on delinquent taxes. Twenty months' time was given for this item, and $4,000 expended in salary. Seven hundred dollars additional for legal services and $437.45 in traveling expenses. Examinations of this kind are necessary and useful and in this case have proved a success, insofar as it has brought results. I learn from the state treasurer's books that about $16,000 has been collected from this source, and several cases against county treasurers are now pending.

"The extra clerical help so lavishly bestowed upon political friends and workers has some grain of indulgence as to the flat tax department of the state auditor's and the license department of the state treasurer's. At certain times of the year it becomes necessary for a number of clerks to be employed in the flat tax department, but not necessarily all the year round.

"The extra clerical help, however, found a resting place in the state board of equalization. While it is true that during the turmoil of the session of the board of state assessors, help and real good help, was necessary, it certainly was out of all proportion to the amount expended—$3,371.65. The placing of incompetent people, as was done in this department, just to pay political debts, was an injustice to competent people, who did good work in this department and are known as good accountants. The above sum does not include the secretary's salary, which is paid out of the officers' salary fund. The secretary of the board is also the secretary of the auditing board, without pay. This should be changed, and the clerk in the secretary of state's office, who has charge of the requisitions and vouchers, should attend to this duty, and who, by necessity, would be best qualified for the position. The records of the board, which should have been kept, are practically no records at all, or worse than none.

"You will note that the amount of supplies furnished the auditor of state and treasurer were very reasonable, as compared with other departments of state; as to prices, they were as bad as others.

"One noticeable feature in the approval of the printing bills I observed, is, that the printing clerk, an employe of the secretary of state, whose duty it is to measure the printing and to compare same with the contract, made some slight reductions once in awhile, while performing his duty, prior to the so-called expose, but after that time it was all duty, and he did considerable 'cutting and slashing' with such bills, all of which is herewith respectfully submitted. Yours truly,

"Louis B. Schwanbeck"

Figures in Substantiation.

Along with the report is a number of exhibits which show the correctness of the charges. The item of printing alone amounts to $101,256.27. The biennial reports of the several departments cost an additional $37,000. Of this amount, over $7,000 was spent in printing the report of the state board of health, and over $13,000 in printing the report of the superintendent of public instruction. The regular Thirteenth general assembly spent over $16,000 for printing, and the extra, over $8,000. Of the incidental fund, the attorney-general's office came in for $14,080.42, and the extra clerk hire, etc., such as printing the constitutional amendments, cost practically $70,000. Along with the report are a number of expense items as charged for various pieces of stationery by the printing company. The charges for these articles compare favorably with a number of the charges which were found to have been paid by Arapahoe county in the investigation of this printing sometime ago.

Republicans Opposed It.

Your correspondent remembers distinctly the fight the seven Republicans made in the house appropriating this money as an incidental item, two years ago, with simply the understanding that it would be used to reimburse the citizens who had advanced the state money in order to carry on its institutions during the Thomas administration. It was the contention then by the Republican contingent, that the lump sum should be itemized and so specified that each bill should be paid, as was claimed by those who were working for the passage of the measure. Representatives McLean and Dickerson fought the bill for nearly two days in an effort to so amend it as to carry out the intents which its drafters claimed was to be done. Mr. McLean spoke at length on the subject, and predicted that to pass the appropriation in that manner, it would never be used to pay off those debts. Their fight was of no avail and the bill went through as drafted. For their trouble, the seven Republicans were branded in the Fusion press from one end of the state to the other as being against reclaiming and maintaining the state's honor; that they were not in favor of liquidating just debts, etc. On the floor of the house the fathers of the bill claimed that the constitution of the state did not provide a way whereby the claims could be itemized and paid; that the appropriation would necessarily have to be one for incidentals, and the Democratic leaders, and papers pledged their party time and again if the bill passed, to use the money as they promised it should be used.

LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY WAS QUITE GENERALLY OBSERVED.

The 94th anniversary of Lincoln's birthday was generally observed throughout this city and state today. In the city many exercises were held, commemorating the memory of the man. The house of representatives refrained from the transaction of any regular business during the entire day, and the senate did likewise during the afternoon. At 2 o'clock the members of both houses met in the house of representatives, where memorial exercises were conducted. These services were simple in nature, so as to be more in keeping with the life of Mr. Lincoln. They began with a prayer by the chaplain, which was followed by two addresses, and the singing of "America." The addresses were delivered by Rev. Coyle of the Central Presbyterian church, and Rev. T. N. Haskel who was at one time Lincoln's pastor. Both addresses showed that the speakers were well acquainted with the character of their subject, and they were given the strictest attention. Dr. Coyle dwelt at length upon the personality of Mr. Lincoln, and from incidents in his life drew conclusions, showing that he was remarkable in that he possessed practically every good trait known. Dr. Haskel recited many incidents of Lincoln's life with which he was perfectly familiar. He referred to the good traits of character in many of the great men of the past, and claimed that Mr. Lincoln had assimilated those traits by a study of the good portions of their lives.

The Loyal Legion gave a banquet at the Woman's club, at which General Eli Torrance, national commander in chief of the G. A. R., was present and delivered the oration of the evening. A large number of visitors from over the state were present at the banquet. The Union Republican club held Lincoln day service tonight at the Brown Palace hotel. The principal address of the evening was delivered by Rev. O. P. Wright of the Capitol Hill M. E. church. Accompanying the address were music and other exercises commensurate with the day.

The state reports indicate that the day was well observed everywhere throughout the state. In Victor the Lincoln Republican club gave a large banquet at which many local and some foreign orators were present, as were also a number of the members of the state legislature, and from nearly every town and city come dispatches telling of the observance of the day, either in the public schools or some other place of gathering.

ARGUMENTS HEARD ON DOLPH'S JUDICIARY BILL.

The judiciary committee of the senate held a meeting at 5 o'clock this evening for the purpose of listening to arguments on the Dolph bill, creating a new judge for Teller and El Paso counties. The principal speaker before the committee was Judge William C. Robinson of Colorado Springs. He had with him a petition signed by about 100 attorneys of El Paso county and 40 attorneys of Teller county, asking the senate to pass the bill. It is understood that Judge Robinson drew the measure. In his talk he said that there were now about 900 cases pending before the El Paso county courts, and 520 pending in the Teller county courts, and that the courts were simply swamped with business, and that it was impossible to keep the calendars up to date. He said the only fight that was being made against the bill was because of the extra expense it incurred. He did not think that it would incur any extra expense, and might be a saving to the taxpayers, because it would provide for only one bailiff and one stenographer who would receive a per diem for actual work. He said that under the present circumstances witnesses were brought to the two cities and were compelled to lie around waiting for their cases to come and they could be heard, and that this extra expense in witness fees would more than offset the expense of a stenographer and bailiff. The judiciary committee will take the matter under advisement and report at an early date.

CONTROL OF FEDERAL PATRONAGE DISCUSSED

To Be Mainly in Hands of Congressman-at-Large Brooks---Two Appointments Forecasted.

Special to the Gazette.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Hon. Otto Mears, who left here this evening for New York, states that while Colorado patronage has been placed in the hands of Congressman-elect Brooks and Hogg, the division is not equal. Representative Hogg will control patronage in the district from which he was elected, and Mr. Brooks, having been elected from the state at large, will control the general federal patronage in the state. Representatives Brooks and Hogg were in conference with President Roosevelt today, but no definite action was decided upon in reference to Colorado offices. The matter will go over until next week, when the president will see the congressmen again and discuss the situation, with a view to a settlement of the status of present officeholders and the possible appointment of other representatives. Mr. Brooks left here this evening for New York. He will return here before going to Colorado.

Special to the Gazette.

Denver, Feb. 12.—Chairman Fairley of the Republican state central committee received a telegram signed by Congressman Brooks and P. B. Stewart, to the effect that John F. Vivian of Jefferson county is to be appointed surveyor general for Colorado, to take the place of C. C. Goodale, whose term has expired, and that N. F. Handy of Fremont county is to be appointed surveyor of customs, to take the place of C. H. Brickenstein.

Chairman Fairley is reported to have left for Colorado Springs shortly after receiving the telegram.

IN EXECUTIVE SESSION.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 12.—With the exception of a few minutes, during which some routine business was transacted, the session of the senate today was behind closed doors.

After being in executive session for five hours the senate adjourned.

George S. Elstun of the Alamo hotel returned yesterday from Moline, Kan., where he has been for several weeks on business connected with his oil and gas well interests in that part of the state. He reports a successful trip. John Himebaugh of the Spaulding house, who is also interested in oil and gas wells in the Sunflower state, will not return to this city for several days.

THE BILL IN THE HOUSE

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The report on the Elkins bill ordered favorably reported by the house committee on interstate commerce yesterday was filed in the house today by Mr. Mann of Illinois.

"In extensive hearings before your committee on the general subject of the proposed amendments to the interstate commerce law," the report states, "it was strongly urged by the members of the interstate commerce commission that the provisions of the existing law providing for punishment of the officers or agents of railroads, but not for punishment of the railroad itself, prevented the enforcement of the law forbidding rebates and discriminations. The experience of the commission has been that it is impossible to obtain proof of the granting of a rebate by the officer of a railroad to some favored shipper unless the officer himself gives the evidence, in which case he is freed from prosecution."

Continuing it says:

"The existing law prohibits rebates and discriminations but does not prevent the cutting of published rates unless discrimination is shown. In most cases it is practically impossible to show the discrimination. In the investigation made by the interstate commerce commission respecting rates on dressed beef and packing house products from Kansas City and Chicago it was finally discovered that for years the railroads had constantly and habitually disregarded their published tariffs and carried such products at rates below the published tariffs to an amount so great that the difference between the published rate and the actual rate amounted to millions of dollars a year; and it was the unanimous testimony that all the shippers who were interested in those rates got practically the same rate. There was, therefore, no discrimination between the shippers, and no shipper was liable to prosecution for obtaining a rate which discriminated in his favor. But the effect of such secret cutting of rates is to place in the hands of a small aggregation of shippers the absolute control of the business, for no person can afford to enter into competition who does not receive the cut rates, and no person is in a position to demand or receive such rates until after he shall have become established in business and have the extensive business behind him.

After reviewing the provisions of the bill the report says:

"The first and second propositions practically exhaust the power of legislation to prevent rebates and discriminations through criminal prosecutions. We conceive it to be the desire of congress absolutely to prevent, if possible, the granting of discriminations in the way of railroad rates to favored shippers. This is by many claimed to be the greatest abuse of the day. But we all know that the officers of the railroads who grant rebates and the officers of the private corporations who solicit and accept them are men of high standing in their respective communities, and that it is a very difficult matter to obtain evidence sufficient to indict them and still more difficult to obtain judges and juries who will convict them."

The report further says:

"Your committee believes that the legislation proposed by the Elkins bill together with the present interstate commerce law covers about all the ways that thought and language can devise or describe to prevent discriminations in favor of one shipper as against another or the building up of one concern through the favoritism of railroad corporations."

In addition to the amendments heretofore published the house committee restores the words "whenever the attorney-general shall direct, either on his motion, or upon the request of the interstate commission," which appeared in the original draft of the bill, and were eliminated by the senate.

The six minority members of the committee on interstate and foreign commerce, Representatives Shackleford, Davey, Adamson, Davis and Richardson (Ala.) also filed their views. After saying that they do not oppose the bill as reported and that it will not afford much relief, they add that the little of good that it does contain the people should have. Continuing, they say:

"The bill now reported is not nearly so far reaching and radical as the Littlefield bill which a few days ago passed the house on a roll call by a unanimous vote. In the debate on the Littlefield bill it was freely predicted that it would never become a law and it was openly charged that its passage in this house was merely for the purpose of beguiling and deluding the people into the belief that the dominant party was willing to enact legislation limiting the evils of monopoly. Since the passage of the bill the public press from day to day has teemed with uncontradicted announcements that the Littlefield bill is to be thrust aside and the Elkins bill and the Nelson publicity amendment substituted therefor, and that no other or further anti-trust legislation is to be enacted. Such a course would be to jest with the country upon the most solemn question of the day and to trifle with the most serious interests of the people. If the Littlefield bill was meritorious when it passed this house a few days ago it is meritorious now. It does not in any manner conflict with the provisions of the Elkins bill now reported from this committee."

The minority proposes that the bill be amended by adding the principal features of the Littlefield bill.

TRUST QUESTIONS DISCUSSED BY SENATE COMMITTEE

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The senate committee on judiciary continued its consideration of trust questions today and after holding two sessions adjourned until tomorrow. The committee was especially concerned today in an effort to so amend the Littlefield bill as not to make it burdensome to small corporations. It practically is the unanimous opinion of the committee that a bill should be enacted into law but there is much difference as to the phraseology to be employed. There is also practical unanimity as to the desirability of making the proposed law apply to corporations which are capable of becoming oppressive in their operation and of relieving those which are beneficent in the operations and not extensive enough to require close supervision. The committee is finding difficulty in defining a line of demarcation but the members express the belief that a way will be found out of the difficulty and that the bill will be so modified as not to make it onerous upon small concerns.

SENATE DISCUSSES THE PANAMA CANAL TREATY

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 12.—After the confirmation of a number of nominations and the refusal to reopen the Alaskan boundary question, the senate in executive session today began consideration of the Panama canal treaty between the United States and the republic of Colombia. Senator Morgan immediately took the floor to urge that the treaty be amended in many respects and to oppose it unless amended. He had been speaking only a short time when the suggestion was made that there was not a quorum present. A roll call brought in the necessary number and the senator then resumed. He contended that the convention is loosely drawn and said that in order to properly safeguard the interests of the United States it should be practically made over.

Senator Morgan directed special attention to the fact that there had been a failure to embody the act of congress providing for the construction of the canal in the treaty as was set forth in the preamble and dwelt at length on what he termed the unreliability and revolutionary character of the government. He asserted that the price of $10,000,000 in cash which the United States had agreed to pay to Colombia was exorbitant, and more than was necessary in view of the former agreement to take $7,000,000. He also criticised the provision for a perpetual annual payment of $250,000 and declared that in all probability much of those payments would go into the pockets of private individuals. In this connection he declared that a recent chief executive of the Colombian government had sold out and abdicated for $1,000,000. He repeated his declaration that the existing government has no power to enter into treaties and asserted that a treaty with that government would not be binding. He declared that it would be folly to make the payment of $47,000,000 as was proposed by the treaty, depend upon so unstable and unsubstantial an institution as the Colombian congress, and especially in view of the chronic insurrectionary condition of the people.

Senator Cullom, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, made a brief speech in the middle of Senator Morgan's address. It was devoted to an explanation of the terms of the treaty. Mr Cullom gave special attention to criticisms, Senator Morgan had made on article 23, placing the control of the canal in charge of the government of Colombia in case of trouble and said that as the canal penetrates Colombian territory the arrangement was equitable. Moreover he thought it would be impossible to secure Colombia's sanction of the treaty under any other arrangement. He also defended the provision for a mixed tribunal for the adjudication of legal difficulties in the canal zone as necessary under the circumstances. He declared that under the terms of the treaty the United States had ample power to protect the canal. Speaking on the contention that the United States should own the canal right of way he said that the Colombian constitution places an insuperable obstacle in the way of ownership by prohibiting the sale for such purposes. He contended, however, that a lease in perpetuity would be equally as good as to a transfer by purchase outright.

When an adjournment was suggested at 5:30 o'clock, Senator Morgan said he would be prepared to go on all night if required to do so, but Senator Cullom replied that he had no intention of making any such exaction. On the contrary, he added, he was ready to close today's session at that time, but he was anxious to continue tomorrow. Senator Morgan was willing for this arrangement but Senator Quay objected, saying that in the interest of the statehood bill he could not at this time yield another day to consideration of the treaty.

Senator Morgan gave notice of further proposed amendments to the treaty. The first of these amendments of general importance to the body of the treaty is to article 2. It provides for the ownership of the canal by the United States instead of a 100-year contract to be renewed each century afterward as provided for by the treaty sent to the senate.

The amendment provides for the alteration of the text so as to make it read as follows:

"The United States shall have the exclusive right without further compensation or indemnity to excavate, construct, operate, control, own and protect the maritime canal, etc."

Article 3 is to be so amended as to have the canal zone include the cities of Panama and Colon which are excluded in the official draft of the treaty. The provision for a joint commission of the United States and Colombia to enforce police and sanitary regulations is abolished and this work is placed in the exclusive control of the United States.

Article 4 is so altered as to remove the pledge on the part of the United States not to increase its territory at the expense of any of the Central American republics. The pledge with reference to Colombia stands.

Mr. Morgan proposed so to amend the language of article 8 as to have the United States guarantee only the independence of Colombia in the government of the islands in the eastern and western extremities of the canal but the guaranty of the "integrity" of that government in the islands is stricken out.

In article 7 there is inserted a provision that no trial for damages for property on account of the canal work shall be allowed to impede its progress.

It is proposed to amend article 11 so as to give to the United States control of permanent immigration to the canal zone.

The joint tribunals proposed by article 13 of the treaty are eliminated and the United States is given complete control over all controversies except those between citizens of Colombia which are left in Colombian jurisdiction.

Article 23, which in the official text provides for the calling in of the United States forces at Colombia's instance for the protection of the canal, is left with a plain provision requiring the government of Colombia to assume this duty. To that provision the following is added:

"The United States shall have the right at all times in its discretion to use its police and its land and naval forces for these purposes."

Article 24 is so altered as to remove all limitations of time as to when the canal shall be completed and the United States is given full authority to change the plans for the canal.

The annual payments of $250,000 provided for to Colombia are limited to 52 years.

SENATORS BY POPULAR VOTE.

By Associated Press.

Topeka, Kas., Feb. 12.—Both houses of the Kansas legislature agreed today to a resolution memorializing congress to submit an additional amendment providing that United States senators shall be elected by a vote of the people. Only two members voted against the resolution and it will be immediately sent to congress.

Who is the most popular gentleman in employ in El Paso county?

MEDIATION SESSION DESPITE COWARD

President Baer Wade Closing Argument for Coal Operators and Clarence S. Darrow Began Summing Up for the Men---Large Audience Present.

By Associated Press.

Philadelphia, Feb. 12.—Before an audience that filled every inch of space in the United States circuit court room President George F. Baer of the Reading company, made his closing argument for the coal operators before the strike commission today, and Clarence S. Darrow, chief counsel for the miners, began the summing up for the men.

The two sessions were exceedingly interesting and the principal points held the attention of the audience throughout their remarks. The greatest interest was manifested in Mr. Baer's appearance before the commission to plead the case of the miners against the Many prominent persons were present among them President Truesdale of the Delaware Lackawanna & Western railroad, Archbishop Ryan, judges of the federal and local courts, state senators and many mining officials from the anthracite regions. Mr. Baer concluded his address by making a proposition to let the contract mines on a sliding scale, their wages to fall or rise with the market price of coal at New York, but in no case shall the wages fall below the present basis. The speaker took up two hours and 20 minutes in delivering his address and when he sat down he was congratulated by hundreds of persons.

Mr. Darrow spoke at the afternoon session for two hours and a half and will take up all of tomorrow in replying the miners' case. The crowd that heard him was equally as large as that which listened to Mr. Baer, and he was surrounded by a throng eager to grasp him when he temporarily suspended his speech at adjournment time. His remarks today were directed particularly at the wage statements presented by the committee which he said could not be relied upon.

Mr. Darrow, in opening, paid a complimentary reference to the character of the commission, review the strike and all the suffering it entailed, and said:

"I shall apologize to the court and to the commission for the time I take of the men but I owe it to my clients, for no one else is present to speak for these criminals."

He went on to tell of the miners refusal to pay the $1 assessment and said:

"As a consequence of this assessment men laid down their tools of trade and we have seen 150,000 men, women and children reduced to want and starvation for six long months. We have seen the president of the United States appoint this commission to settle this difficulty and, then, this afternoon, the last hour of this proceeding, the man more responsible than any other comes before this commission and says they will do exactly what they have not demanded nine months before and which they, in their blindness, in their madness and their stupidity, refused. Why did not Mr. Baer go to Mr. John Mitchell nine months ago and bring to this commission today?

"You can do just as you please about recognizing the union. If you do not recognize it it is because you think and you want to bump up against something more. That is all. It is fair to say and the burden is on you and upon us. There is neither the power nor the disposition in this court to kill it, to destroy the union. And if these agents of the Almighty are not under, they can better bind themselves to a few more years and I assure you after a while they will know it is here and recognize it themselves."

Passing to the wage statements handed the commission, Mr. Darrow said the operators have had a chance by their own accountants, and that when Mr. Baer informed the president of this state, the president of the United States and the commission how high wages his men were getting, he gave them information at least 20 or 30 per cent beyond any facts that have existed.

"If all the coal in this region about to be sold upon the figures that he correctly represent our clients," Mr. Darrow said, "we will be very glad to take it. From the beginning of this strike until the end whatever you may say about whether the miners knew what they were getting or not these operators have never given the correct figure or made a statement that would stand the light of day for a single moment when they talked to the public.

"In this I do not mean to make any general onslaught upon the figures as they have been finally brought before this commission. I do not mean to make any general charge against the real figures or real, living flesh and blood men that the commission compelled them to give. It is not the real men I am quarreling with; it is the composite man, the imaginary man, it of the matters that have been used by expert accountants of these gentlemen in order to deceive somebody."

Counsel then spoke of the skill required by the anthracite miner and the danger involved in the occupation. He brought in review the crippled and blind miners who took the witness stand and called the commission's attention to the fact that six out of every 1,000 are killed in the mines each year.

"Five hundred dollars a year is a big price for taking your life and limbs in your hand and going down into the earth to dig up coal to make somebody

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"The miner said the average earnings of the miners of the Reading company for the year were $505 and the average for 12 months was $527. He said the expense for supplies and [illegible] which would leave a net earnings of $485. The figures were based on the average of the 12 months of the year.

Mr. Darrow [illegible] that is more or less [illegible] the figures were at [illegible] too high and at the wages paid in the [illegible]

[illegible] that more than one or two men [illegible] killed every [illegible] during the time they worked out of the Scranton district [illegible] the State of Pennsylvania [illegible] the union [illegible] the commonwealth of Pennsylvania [illegible] $332 [illegible] wages, and yet we are told that it was peace and joy and happiness [illegible] Mitchell [illegible]

In discussing the [illegible] Mr. Darrow said:

[illegible] this labor [illegible] Republicans [illegible] people [illegible] Why [illegible] Mr. Mitchell nine months ago [illegible] to this commission today?

[illegible] recognizing the union. If you do not recognize it it is because you think and you want to bump up against something more. That is all. It is fair to say and the burden is on you and upon us. There is neither the power nor the disposition in this court to kill it, to destroy the union. And if these agents of the Almighty are not under, they can better bind themselves [illegible] a few more years and I assure you after a while they will know it is here and recognize it themselves."

Passing to the wage statements handed the commission, Mr. Darrow said the operators have had a chance by their own accountants, and that when Mr. Baer informed the president of this state, the president of the United States and the commission how high wages his men were getting, he gave them information at least 20 or 30 per cent beyond any facts that have existed.

"If all the coal in this region about to be sold upon the figures that he correctly represent our clients," Mr. Darrow said, "we will be very glad to take it. From the beginning of this strike until the end whatever you may say about whether the miners knew what they were getting or not these operators have never given the correct figure or made a statement that would stand the light of day for a single moment when they talked to the public.

"In this I do not mean to make any general onslaught upon the figures as they have been finally brought before this commission. I do not mean to make any general charge against the real figures or real, living flesh and blood men that the commission compelled them to give. It is not the real men I am quarreling with; it is the composite man, the imaginary man, it of the matters that have been used by expert accountants of these gentlemen in order to deceive somebody."

Counsel then spoke of the skill required by the anthracite miner and the danger involved in the occupation. He brought in review the crippled and blind miners who took the witness stand and called the commission's attention to the fact that six out of every 1,000 are killed in the mines each year.

"Five hundred dollars a year is a big price for taking your life and limbs in your hand and going down into the earth to dig up coal to make somebody

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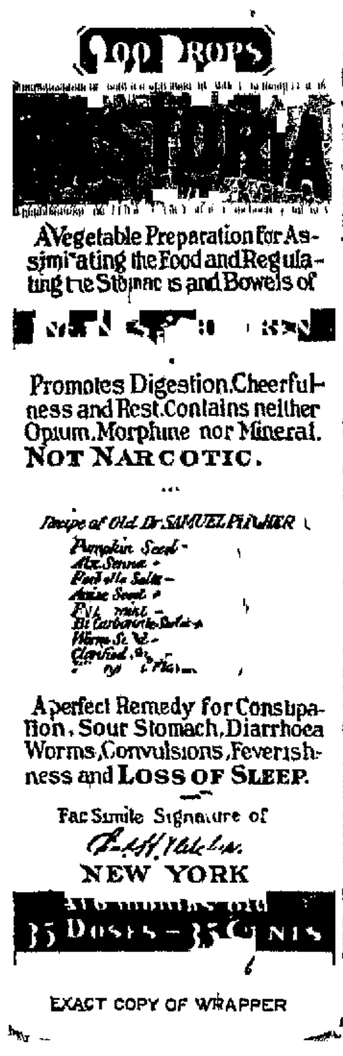

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Special to the Gazette

Pueblo Feb 11—The mysterious woman who committed suicide in Denver last night has been identified practically beyond a doubt as Mrs Daisy Miller of 270 block I Pueblo Mrs Miller had been in a state of melancholia at her home in Pueblo for the past six months and left for Denver day before yesterday ostensibly for the purpose of consulting her former physician

The news has prostrated the family of the unfortunate woman

Mrs Miller was the daughter of J W Lyons who is a well known contractor in Pueblo

Mrs P M Ritchey to whom an envelope found in the possession of the dead woman was addressed is her sister She leaves a son 9 years old

A young woman who gave her name as Miss Wilson and was said to have gone to Denver from this city committed suicide at the Clayton block Seventeenth and Lawrence streets Denver last night by swallowing three ounces of carbolic acid

Upon taking a room at the Clayton block on Tuesday evening the girl informed the landlady that she was a trained nurse This and the fact that she is supposed to have gone to Denver from this city furnish the only clews that could be had at first as to her identity There was a young woman named Miss Wilson who was a trained nurse in this city a few weeks ago according to local physicians

The young woman who took her life last night was a blonde of more than ordinarily attractive appearance She was pronounced by the police surgeon of Denver to be about 22 or 23 years of age and to weigh about 130 pounds

On Tuesday during the latter part of the afternoon she applied for a room at the Clayton block Seventeenth and Lawrence streets and was given a room adjoining the office She informed the landlady that she was a trained nurse and that she belonged in Colorado Springs but said she was not physically able to perform her work and intended resting for a few days Little notice was taken of her by these in the house and she attracted little attention At [illegible] o'clock last night she dressed for supper making her toilet with extreme care She went out to supper and returned to her room in the early evening At about 10 o'clock the landlady became suspicious because of the smell of carbolic acid in the house and going to the room of Miss Wilson found her in a dying condition having taken all the contents of a three ounce vial

The police were not led immediately and Assistant Police Surgeon Atwood responded with the police ambulance The unfortunate girl was removed to the county hospital arriving there at 10 30 and death came half an hour later

In the room occupied by the girl there was an envelope addressed to Mrs P M Ritchey 270 Block I Pueblo

Sports and Sporting Notes

First in Antlers Scratch Tournament Occurs Tonight

The last series of four games in the second scratch tournament for the Antlers silver loving cup will be played on the Antlers alleys this evening The bowler who has the greatest number of pins after the games this evening will be declared the winner of the cup and will hold it until challenged for the same in another similar tournament The cup has to be won twice by a bowler to entitle him to become the permanent owner of the trophy and for that reason one or more tournaments will have to be played as the present holder is Dr W F Oakey and he is not a contestant in the tournament E M P Taylor is now at the head of the list of 16 contestants with 2,839 pins for the 16 games played Graham is just 27 pins behind Taylor in second place and Tim Stanley is third with 2781 pins McClemmans who has been first several times is now in fourth place with 2757 pins and Parkinson is No 5 This standing may be completely changed however, after this evening's games and those down in the list may win the trophy At any rate a good set of games is promised for this evening and a large number of bowling enthusiasts are preparing to be on hand to see the wind up of the tournament

Standing of the Contestants

Taylor	2839
Graham	2812
Stanley	2781
McClemmans	2757
Parkinson	2686
Johnson	2680
Ellison	2627
De Perry	2497
Ford	2462
Reed	2428
Gambl	2410
Marun[illegible]	2380
Reeves	2301
Wilson	2257
G[illegible]	2197
Eldredge	2095

Colorado College May Secure a Famous Harvard Player as Coach

Curley Cutts the well-known football player who played a tackle on the Harvard eleven in 1901 and who has been mentioned prominently by all organizers of all-American teams wants to come to Colorado Springs this fall and coach the Colorado college squad to win the intercollegiate championship of the state Cutts makes no contract as to this latter proposition but he has written a letter to the College Athletic association stating his desires and naming his terms Cutts possibilities as a coach for the Tigers are too great to require further comment but it is safe to say that the college people would jump at the chance to secure this man if they only had the financial backing necessary to secure him Cutts asks $1,000 and expenses for the season While this sum is far in excess of the amount that has been paid in the past as a rule for coaches for the yellow and gold squads the athletic association is going to make an effort to secure this amount if possible and it is understood that preliminary canvass will be started in the near future to see what funds might be expected from outside sources Cutts employment as coach for the college team would mean a great deal to the college team to the college itself and to Colorado Springs as with his superior knowledge of the points of the game and his experience he would make champions out of the eleven if such a thing is possible next fall There are a number of other colleges over the country that would be anxious to secure Cutts for coach at much higher figures but it seems that the athlete has set his head upon coming to Colorado Springs and if some rare good fortune should fall to the lot of the athletic association and they should have success in getting the amount required to secure him to work with the college football squad next year he will surely be with the team

Cutts has played on the crimson eleven and has coached the Haverford team for the past four years He was last season ruled out of the big Yale-Harvard game on account of having received pay for giving a series of fencing lessons the summer before a thing in the eyes of the Big Four association which made him a professional.

Cutts brings the list of prospects for the position of coach on the Tiger eleven next fall up to four Slippery Brown Scow and Cavanaugh being the other three that have been decided upon by the coach committee of the college athletic association Slippery Brown is an old college player who was a member of the team in the old championship days of 98 and who is now at Lafayette Cavanaugh is a Dartmouth man who has also acted as a coach on the big team, and Scow is from Wisconsin One of the four mentioned above will be secured Cavanaugh wants $700 to coach the team and Scow and Brown name sums approximately the same for their services

GREELEY STUDENTS DEFEATED THE FIELD

The Greeley students attending Colorado college lined up against the college basketball team last night defeating their opponents by the score of 14 to 1 There was some dispute over the result of the game owing to the failure to count one goal but it was finally decided that the Greeley boys were the winners

Two 20-minute halves were played, Williams acting as referee and Ingersoll and Wasley as umpires The game was played in the college gymnasium with the following line-up

Greeley boys		College team
Churchill	c (c)	Shaw, c
French	f	Slauson, f
Keplinger,	f	Jonson f
Hunt,	b	Nead b
English,	b	Baker b

The scoring was done as follows Greeley boys, Churchill two goals from field, four free throws, French three field goals, total 14 points College, Slauson three free throws, Jonson one goal from field, Shaw, four goals from field Total 11 points.

BURNS TRADES DEVEREAUX FOR A MONTANA PLAYER

What few fans thought they would see William Devereaux in a Millionaire uniform this season are doomed to disappointment, for this man, who with Buck Francks last season jumped to the California league, and who several months ago was allowed to come back into the fold provided he would do Manager Burns the local magnate's bidding has been given to Helena of the Pacific Northwest league Manager Burns Tuesday received a telegram from Edward Goodkind of the Helena team asking for Devereaux and the man was promptly allowed to go but not until Helena dug up another player in his stead however The latest is a young man by the name of Barnes who held down the territory immediately adjacent to bag No 2 last season on the Helena team Goodkind thinks that Devereaux would suit him better than Barnes and Manager Burns evidently thinks the same, only vice versa and it required only one telegram to make the change Mr Burns stated some time ago that he was not going to keep the man Devereaux and would not retain Francks, who came back to the team under similar circumstances, if he could get hold of another man in place of him by trade

BRITISH SPORTING PAPER NOTICES WORK OF GARRETT

The Shooting Times and British Sportsman, one of the leading sporting journals of Europe which is published in London, has a long article in this month's issue on the shooting of John W Garrett, the crack shot of this city The shooting of Mr Garrett on Christmas day, when he broke 450 birds out of 500 shot at, part of this being done when shooting against time and after he had announced his intention of shooting for a record a feat that has been related in these columns is commented upon at considerable length The American bird shooter and his methods is given much space and the score made by Mr Garrett one that has astonished a great many shooters on this side of the Atlantic as well as our sober English cousins is given in detail

CHAMPION HIRSCHY IS VISITOR IN THIS CITY

H C Hirschy champion wing shot of the world who won the Grand American handicap at Kansas City last spring is in the city and is a guest at the Antlers Mr Hirschy who registers from Minneapolis and J F King came down from Victor last night to spend several days in this city They have been the guests of members of the Cripple Creek Gun club during the past week and several shoots have been held in their honor The members of the Colorado Springs Gun club will assist in entertaining Mr Hirschy and Mr King while here and if the weather permits several shoots will probably be held at the club's range near Broadmoor during the stay of the gentlemen in this city

GAME ASSOCIATION LET BUSINESS GO FOR A WEEK

Owing to the inclemency of the weather which caused the attendance to be rather slim no business was transacted at the meeting of the Colorado Springs Protective association that was held in the district court room In the opinion of those present it was not wise to transact any business without a larger representation of the members and as the questions that were to have come up are considered of great importance another meeting will be held next Wednesday evening to pass on them Those present stayed and talked over the game situation however and a better feeling and knowledge of the present situation in regard to wild game of the state has probably resulted among a number of the members

WRESTLER M'LEOD WAS TOO MUCH FOR SHARKEY

By Associated Press

Cleveland Feb 11—Pugilist Tom Sharkey was not able to withstand wrestler Dan McLeod's attempt to throw him three times within an hour tonight McLeod winning in 56 minutes The first bout was the longest of the three McLeod taking half an hour to throw the sailor After a rest of 15 minutes the men went to the mat again and McLeod had Sharkey down in 13 minutes The third fall was in 17 minutes Sharkey did not attempt any aggressive work simply balking so far as he could the efforts of McLeod to throw him

Twenty-five hundred people saw the contest which was advertised to be for a purse of $1 500 and a side bet of $500 each

CRESCENT CITY SUMMARY

By Associated Press

New Orleans Feb 11—Crescent City summary

First race six furlongs—Josette won O Hagen second Senator Morrison third Time 1 17 1-5

Second race seven furlongs—Thane won, Illuminate second Alpaca third Time 1 34

Third race 1⅛ miles—Ben Chance won Scotch Plaid second Jessie Jarboe third Time 2 01

Fourth race St Charles stakes four furlongs—Petunia won Arkansas Pass second May Holliday third Time 51½

Fifth race 1 1-16 miles—Sue Johnson won Chickadee second Polly Bixby third Time 1 55 1-5

Sixth race mile and 70 yards—Aurie B won Mauser second Kiawasa third Time, 1 53

AT SAN FRANCISCO

By Associated Press

San Francisco Feb 11—Summary

First race six furlongs—Meehanus won Troy second, Prue third. Time, 1 15½

Second race five and one-half furlongs—Orosius won, Oro Viva second, Bell Reed third Time, 1 10½

Third race mile—Gallanthus won, Bonnie Lissak second, David S third Time 1 45

Fourth race mile—Epicure won, Lord Badge second, Leader third Time 1 41¾

Fifth race, six furlongs—Tower of Candles won, Huachuaca second, Sylvia Talbot third Time, 1 15

Sixth race, mile and 70 yards—Hermencia won, Nigrette second Artilla third Time, 1,58¼.

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ROCKY MOUNTAIN HARVARD CLUB TO HAVE DINNER

The Rocky Mountain Harvard club will hold its eighteenth dinner at the University club in Denver Saturday evening February 21 1904 at 7 o'clock All Harvard men in the Rocky mountain region whose names do not appear upon the roster of the club will confer a favor by sending their names to the secretary Lawrence Lewis Pueblo Colorado in order that invitations may be sent them

WILL CELEBRATE The colored people will celebrate Lincoln's birthday with appropriate ceremony at St John's Baptist church on the evening of February 12 There will be a speech by Judge Morris and various interesting exercises

HUMBERT FAMILY'S FIRST APPEARANCE IN COURT

By Associated Press

Paris Feb 11 The Humbert family made their first appearance in the criminal courts today when the case of M Cattani the banker was taken up in the ninth correctional chamber Great public interest was manifested in the proceedings and the court room was packed

All the previous examinations of the Humberts had been held in secret and this was the first opportunity the Parisians had to see and hear the prisoners They were brought in like any ordinary prisoners and took seats in the prisoners box

Mme Therese Humbert displayed her usual bravado and coolness but her sister Marie Daurignac was apparently much unnerved The latter's brothers, Romaine and Emile Daurignac, maintained an attitude of calm defiance

The case does not involve the main question concerning the Crawford millions but M Cattani's charge that the Humberts libeled him in referring to him as usurer which indirectly affects the whole affair

The early stages of the trial did not produce any sensation Mme Humbert gave a long rambling statement of her dealings with M Cattani and alleged that his demands for excessive interest and her borrowings from him amounted to about $600 000

When M Cattani was heard and repudiated the charge of usury Mme Humbert sprang from her seat and asked for the privilege of interrogating the banker but the presiding magistrate repressed her

The testimony furnished by Marie Daurignac showed evidence of an intention to leave to Mme Humbert the direction of the plans for the prisoners defense

SIGNED THE BILL

By Associated Press

Washington Feb 11—The president late this afternoon signed the bill to expedite the hearing and determination of suits in equity pending and hereafter to be brought under the Sherman anti-trust law regulating commerce

MEXICAN CURRENCY

By Associated Press

Mexico City Feb 11—El Imparcial publishes a leading article in which it intimates that Mexico is going to move slowly on the currency question The government is preparing to make a thorough and exhaustive study of all conditions here affected by the silver depreciation

CEDRIC SAILED

By Associated Press

Liverpool, Feb 11—The White Star line twin screw steamship Cedric the largest vessel in the world sailed hence today for New York via Queenstown The Cedric has a gross tonnage of 21-000 tons and is expected to make the trip to New York in about eight days

THREE DEATHS FROM PLAGUE.

By Associated Press

Mazatlan, Mexico Feb 11—There were three deaths from the plague today Captain Russell of the steamer Acapulco which passed this port complained of the conduct of the authorities of some of the Central American ports which refused to allow his ship to touch at those ports

CROWN PRINCE GIVEN DIVORCE

By Associated Press

Dresden, Feb 11—The Crown Prince of Saxony was today granted a divorce from the former Crown Princess Louise after several doctors had furnished expert testimony in the case

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Speaking of Art and Artists.

The last week in January saw the opening of the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts the venerable institution that has always been first in importance among American exhibits There were 1,200 pictures catalogued The portrait of Mr Wm M Chase the painter was given the place of honor Sargent who painted this masterly portrait in six sittings in London is now in America where he loves to linger for a time although preferring Paris or London for the permanent studio Among the prominent pictures in this exhibit are the following Mr Chase has five works among them a portrait of Jay Cook Mr Alexander has a number of his pictures previously seen in this city Mr Wiles portrait of Miss Julia Marlowe seen here last spring and Miss Cecilia Beaux portrait of Mrs Theodore Roosevelt are also conspicuous Among other well known artists whose work finds much favor are Robert Henri Abbott Thayer Frank W Benson E C Tarbell Alden Weir Ben Foster Childe Hassam C W Eaton William Sartain Henry W Ranger Birge Harrison and Dwight W Tryon The local critics chronicle the presence of half a dozen sketches by Whistler but confess that were it not for the fame of the artist they would get but scant attention

In New York city there have been exhibited this season an unusual number of fine etchings and engravings almost every art dealer has displayed such an exhibit to the public At the Lenox library is an interesting showing of work of this kind by the artists of the Barbizon school Daubigny Rousseau and others The Post says

To those who know these famous artists only as painters the exhibition will come as a revelation Daubigny in particular seems to have been an incessant worker as illustrator and etcher His plates cover all sorts of subjects from the illustration of Chateaubriand's poems to the record of streets scenes in Paris from wood cuts for the Mysteres de Paris of Eugene Sue to splendid etchings of his own pictures His etchings of good pictures by other men such as Lorraine's Abreuvoir and some free studies by Ruysdael are simply admirable Everything served his purpose whether it was a glorious view of Westminster Abbey or a comic sketch of some fishermen—old gentlemen who willingly spend days in catching half a dozen minnows the length of one's finger Daubigny depicts the excitement among the fraternity when a little fish is brought to the surface Under a splendid view of Westminster the artist has written in musical notation the carol of the chimes Among the etchings of Daubigny's pictures by other men is a superb Solitude by Chauvel a lonely pond surrounded by forest trees

Especially interesting to students of etching will be found the fine series of Millet's plates illustrating his studies for some of his most famous pictures such as The Gleaners the Angelus The Sower etc There are many states of the most important pieces fine etchings of the finished pictures such as Marlis's copy of The Sower the original of which is in the Vanderbilt collection There are also a dozen versions of Millet's Man with the Hoe The plates of Theodore Rousseau's Etudes et Croquis are upon exhibition In addition to the plates etchings and engravings there are several cases containing the most important books upon the work of Daubigny Millet and Rousseau autograph letters photographs of the artists their homes and haunts

A society has been organized in France having for object the preservation of art monuments that might go to destruction either for lack of money or interest upon the part of local authorities A beginning has been made with some splendid carved wooden doors of the Palais de Justice of Dijon which have been taken down and placed in the [illegible] at Paris at the [illegible] expense The originals which [illegible] from 1520 have been [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

During 1903 there were [illegible] 18,000 visitors to the Corcoran gallery in Washington an increase of [illegible] 000 over the previous year [illegible] [illegible] the largest [illegible] in the history of the gallery

The most [illegible] engaged [illegible] of a New York public has [illegible] Marquand collection [illegible] beautiful [illegible] columns of [illegible] this magnificent display [illegible] are [illegible] interesting [illegible] phase of the art world of New York This particularly [illegible] made in the Art [illegible] These treasures [illegible] collected by the late Mr Henry Marquand [illegible] prominent [illegible] New York city [illegible] of his death he had [illegible] high honor [illegible] president of the Metropolitan Museum of Art [illegible] no brief [illegible] the value [illegible] [illegible]

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HILLSIDE IMPROVEMENT—The regular meeting of the Hillside Improvement society will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock, at the Christian chapel on East Moreno avenue. Everybody come. Important business will be transacted.

Attend the dissolution shoe sale at J. Elmer Cox Shoe Co., successor to Herring & Cox, 107 South Tejon St.

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States Terms on Which His Ground at the Corner of Platte and Nevada Can Be Used for Carnegie Building Site---Matter Is Referred.

The letter and telegrams from George Noble Todd, relative to the Carnegie library proposition and the use of his ground at the corner of Nevada and Platte avenues as a site were read to the executive committee of the chamber of commerce at the meeting last night and by that committee referred to the citizens committee on sites, before which committee his proposition will receive consideration.

Mr. Todd has 232 feet on Nevada avenue by 190 on Platte and it is the ground on the southeast corner of these avenues, being opposite the High school and the North park. His proposition is to rent this ground to the city or library association controlling the library at a rental of $500 per month with the privilege at any time within five years of buying the ground at a price to be fixed by a board of three appraisers. One of these is to be appointed by the city, the second by Miss Barker, her heirs or assigns and these two to select the third. In no event, however, is the price of the ground to be less than $50,000. Or as an alternative proposition, he offers to sell 100x100 feet on the corner for $20,000, payable in five, 10 or 20 years, with interest at 5 per cent.

The terms of Mr. Todd's proposition were pretty well known over the city all day yesterday. They were discussed freely among the real estate men who expressed varying opinions concerning the matter. One of the most prominent real estate men in the city said that the price put upon his property now by Mr. Todd was nearly $15,000 in excess of the figure at which it had been for sale up to about a week ago.

The proposition will receive full consideration, however, at the hands of the committee to which it has been referred.

Elks Already Planning for New Clubhouse Furnishing

Arrangements for the furnishing of the new Elks club house are already under way. As the greater part of the furniture to be placed in the building will be made to order it is necessary to decide upon its character at once in order to give the manufacturers time in which to make it and have it ready by the time the building is completed. While the exact details of the furniture have not been decided upon it is planned to have it rich and massive rather than showy. In the lodge room it is planned to have the chairs and stations to harmonize with the birch and mahogany finish of the room. The club rooms will all be handsomely and generously furnished but the specifications for this furniture have not been decided upon. Altogether the furniture for the building will cost about $8,000. Orders for the hardware to be used throughout the building have already been placed. The hardware will be uniform, of bronze, with dull brass finish. Designs for the frescoe work are being prepared by several firms. It is planned to have the walls and ceilings of all the rooms handsomely decorated. Those having the purchase of furniture in charge are now getting prices from local firms and eastern manufacturers. If possible the orders will be placed through local houses.

[illegible] Meeting Last Night

The executive committee of the chamber of commerce held an important meeting last night. President Fairley had been compelled to return to Denver and was not present. Mr. Donaldson therefore occupied the chair. The members present were Messrs. Donaldson, McKinnie, Rouse, Lilly, Allen and Fullerton.

For the improvement of conditions for the whole Pike's Peak region it was the sense of the meeting that closer relations be established between Colorado Springs and Manitou. Mr. Fuller on advocated strongly a closer cooperation between the chamber of commerce and the Manitou authorities. The matter of an official organ for the chamber of commerce was discussed by the committee and it was decided that the organization did not favor the selection of any paper as such.

It was voted that the chamber of commerce assist in all legislation looking to the construction of the proposed boulevard from Denver to the Royal Gorge, and Secretary Wray reported that descriptive articles and pictures had been sent to the international convention of Road Makers and to the other good-roads convention now in session in Chicago.

The report of the auditing committee, which had checked over the books of the former treasurer, was submitted. It pronounced the accounts of Treasurer Franklin correct and accepted the balance of approximately $5) as shown by his report. It stated, however, that by reason of unpaid bills on hand, there is, in fact, a debt of about $400. Secretary Wray stated that this indebtedness would be cleared away if the delinquent members would pay up their dues.

Arrangements will be made if possible to secure the ballroom of the Antlers for a public mass meeting to be held next week, at which matters of importance to the city will be discussed.

Episcopal Convocation Was Brought to Close Last Night

The mid-winter convocation of the Pueblo deanery of the Colorado diocese of the Episcopal church, which has been in session at St. Stephen's for the past two days, came to a close last night. The meeting just closed has been a highly interesting one, and has been a source of much gratification to the visiting ministers as well as a means of help to the people of the Episcopal congregations of the city.

Yesterday afternoon a very able paper upon the subject, "History of Higher Criticism by Nash," was read by the Rev. A. N. Taft of St. Stephen's church of htis city. The reading of the paper was followed by a general discussion of the subject which was participated in by most of the ministers present. In the evening, subsequent to the evensong, were given some short addresses on the missionary work of the church by the Rev. Messrs. Heal of Colorado City, T. A. Schofield of Cripple Creek, and Archdeacon Bywater of the Colorado diocese. The addresses were both interesting and instructive, and gave a good idea of the noble work that is being performed in the missionary line by the Episcopal church in this state. The work of the church in Cripple Creek and Colorado City is progressing very satisfactorily and Archdeacon Bywater told of the methods employed to install new churches in Arvada, Rocky Ford, Manzanola, Fort Morgan, Fort Lupton and Loveland. The state mission board is assisting materially in the launching of these new congregations. The archdeacon paid the Roman Catholic church a high compliment for the excellence of its missionary work in this field. The friendly feeling existing between the Roman and the Episcopal churches in the missionary field of labor is illustrated in Loveland, where the congregations of the two churches occupy the same church building, using it on alternate Sundays, pending the building of a new Catholic church. The next convocation of the Pueblo deanery will be held at Trinidad next fall, the exact date not having been set. The Rev. Mr. Andras of Victor, has been elected preacher for that occasion. These convocations will pave the way for a general discussion of the important problem of the change of name of the church at the diocesan council, or state convocation, to be held in Denver later in the year. The grand national convention of the church will be held in Boston in 1904, when final action will be taken.

Will Observe Day of Prayer at Colorado College Today

No regular classes will be held at the college today as this is the annual day of prayer. The occasion will be observed at the local institution and special religious services will be held. This annual day of prayer, held in a number of the larger colleges of the country on January 29 was postponed until today on account of January 29 falling while the regular mid-year examinations were taking place.

There will be three services held today: At 9:30 special services will be held at which members of all of the classes of the college and of Cutler academy will be present. At 11 o'clock a public service will be held in Perkins auditorium. Prof. W. C. Sturgis, formerly a member of the faculty of Yale university, will deliver an address and all of the students of the college will be present. The college authorities desire that the public attend this service and hear Prof. Sturgis and every one is invited to be present. Special music will be given at all of the meetings. At 4:30 Prof. E. S. Parsons, dean of the college, will conduct a special service in the art room of Perkins hall, at which the members of the senior class will lead.

The annual day of prayer has become an established institution at the college and has been observed by the students for several years.

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BRIEF CITY ITEMS

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Reibscheid lodge No. 111, meets tonight in regular session. There will be work in the esquire rank. Visitors welcome.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hopkins of 1526 Washington avenue, Tuesday night, a boy. Mr. Hopkins is a distributing clerk at the postoffice.

BIBLE STUDY—The North End union bible study and prayer meeting will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock, 1715 Wood avenue, Miss Holland will lead. All are cordially invited.

SECTION TWO—Section two of the Ladies Aid society of the First Methodist church will meet at 2:30 this afternoon with Mrs. Taft, 226 East Platte avenue. All are cordially invited.

NOT GUILTY—The jury in the case of the people vs. Sponsilier last night at 8:20 o'clock returned a verdict of not guilty. Sponsilier was charged with keeping open his saloon in Colorado City on Sunday. Judge Cunningham discharged the defendant. The jury will report for duty again on Friday, the 13th inst.

HAPPY HOOLIGAN—Happy Hooligan and his large company made things lively at the Opera house last night. There wasn't a quiet moment from beginning to end. There are several picturesque drills, and some more or less clever repartee. The show played to a large audience.

CALEDONIAN SOCIETY—The regular monthly meeting of the Caledonian society will be held this evening at 8 o'clock, in the Caledonian hall.

MRS. PITMAN'S TWENTY—The ladies of Mrs. Pitman's twenty will meet at 318 East Yampa street this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

D. A. R.—The February meeting of the Zebulon Pike chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will be held this morning at 10:30, at the home of Mrs. A. T. Gunnell, 1126 North Tejon street. A paper on "The Beginnings of Virginia" will be read by Mrs. Martin Slaughter.

MRS. HUGHES' TWENTY—Mrs. Jennie M. Hughes' twenty of the First Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Jeancon, 415 East Pike's Peak avenue, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. A large attendance is particularly desired as business of importance will be presented.

WOMAN'S CLUB—The study class of the art and literary department will meet at the home of Mrs. Blake, 423 E. Dale street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting of Pike's Peak lodge No. 38, I. O. O. F., at 7:30 o'clock this evening. There will be work in the third degree, for which there are 17 candidates. Grand Master Adolf Donath of the jurisdiction of Colorado, will visit Pike's Peak lodge in his official capacity this evening. Colorado Springs lodge No. 140 has been invited to meet with Pike's Peak lodge upon this occasion. All members of the order in the city are earnestly invited to meet with us. Candidates will please be on hand promptly at 8 o'clock.

HOME MISSIONS—The Woman's Home Mission society of the M. E. church, South, will meet at the home of Mrs. F. M. Weathers, 415 E. San Rafael street, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. J. C. Carroll will conduct the bible lesson. This is an important meeting, it being the month for the annual election of officers. A large attendance is therefore urgently requested.

HAYSTACKER MODEL—W. S. Trowbridge, the agent for "Anything" is exhibiting a neat model of a new haystacker, invented by H. T. Sinclair. The stacker has been patented and is said to be something decidedly simple and of considerable value in stacking alfalfa on large farms.

IT IS IMPORTANT

To make reservations early on European steamships. A great many Colorado Springs people have already done so for their coming spring trip. If you think of going to Europe and have made no arrangements, permit us to suggest that it would be a good idea for you to drop into the Rock Island City Ticket Office, No. 2 Pike's Peak Ave, the first time you are down town and look over the sailing lists, rate sheets, etc., with a view to arranging for your trip. We represent all lines and will take pleasure in assisting you to a choice. W. W. Wood, C. P. A.

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High grade shoes at real bargain prices.

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We ask you to examine the lines of $3.50 E. P. Reed and Watson Plumber shoes that are displayed in our window, and invite comparison with any $3.50 or $4 shoe in the city. We are selling these 2 elegant lines for a short time at.......... **$2.48**

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James W. Abbott of Denver, special agent of the office of public road inquiry department of agriculture will deliver a lecture on "Roads" at Perkins hall tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. The lecture is a complimentary one and is given under the auspices of the El Paso Good Roads association. The officers of the association are desirous of having a good number turn out to hear Mr. Abbott, as his lecture is one of great interest.

MANY MOTTOES

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HAS RECEIVED INTERESTING SUGGESTIONS.

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The suggestions received to date are as follows:

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Villa of Sunshine.
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Gem City of the Rockies.
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The Grafters' Paradise.
Beautiful City of Sunshine.
Health, Wealth and Opportunity Combine Here.
Bright Star of Hope.
Vox Populi, Vox Dei, Vivat Vox.
Italy of America.
An Eldorado for Ranks and Tanks.
Garden Spot of Sun and [illegible].
Sunny Side of Easy Street.
Spot of Sunshine, Inviting All.
Sunshine City of Peak and Plain.

PHYSICIANS MET LAST NIGHT IN REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the El Paso Medical society was held in the sun parlors of the Antlers hotel last night. "Puerperal Septicaemia" was the subject of an interesting paper read by Dr. H. G. Wetherill of Denver. Dr. Swan and Dr. Tillinghast recited cases and Dr. Hutchings gave a specimen. Business of a routine nature was also transacted. The sanitarium committee appointed a month ago were not prepared to make a report and the matter will be held over until the next meeting.

NIGHT CLERK RAMEY GETS A PROMOTION

R. H. Ramey, night clerk at the Elk hotel, has been appointed by the management to take the position of day clerk, recently vacated by Ray G. [illegible], who resigned to accept a [illegible] clerk at the Antlers. Mr. Ramey has been night clerk at the Elk for several months and his appointment is a well deserved promotion.

Don't fool with a cold, no one can tell what the end may be. Pneumonia, catarrh, chronic bronchitis and consumption invariably result from neglected colds. Nothing can be compared with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as a quick cure for colds and influenza, and by its use these diseases may be avoided. For sale by all druggists.

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Opening chorus .... Sewing circle
Invocation .... Pastor
Eulogy on Lincoln .... S. Muse
Vocal duet. Mesdames Clark and Davis
Recitation .... Miss Clara Gray
Vocal solo .... Mr. Joseph Robb
Recitation .... Mrs. Lulu Covington
Instrumental solo. Mrs. Hattie Fealey
Vocal solo .... Mrs. S. Hayes
Instrumental ....
Edna Winfrey and Genevieve Collier.
Vocal solo .... Mr. Wm. Bell
Vocal duet ....
....Lee Wilson and Edna Winfrey.
Instrumental duet ....
....Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson

Mrs. A. C. Snyder, who for the past four years has lived at 727 West Cucharas street, left for Chama, New Mexico, last night, where she will make her home. Her many friends here regret the change.

Mrs. Josephine H. Halliday left last Monday evening for a prolonged stay in southern California.

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A SETBACK FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

THE LEGISLATORS of Kansas seem to have been playing the usual game with the woman suffragists. One day it is announced that a bill for equal suffrage is sure of passage; the next it is reported that it has failed to secure the votes necessary to make it a law. In other words, the men who have gallantly assured the ladies that nothing would give them greater pleasure than to present the ballot to women, have failed to support their promises by their votes.

The people of Colorado have reason to feel that the Kansas legislators have made a mistake in this matter. Equal suffrage has worked well in Colorado, and there is no reason to believe that it would not work well in Kansas. It has not accomplished everything that its enthusiastic advocates predicted for it. It has not made politics perfectly pure, nor cities absolutely moral; it has not abolished whisky selling or whisky drinking or various other vices and miseries. But it has unquestionably raised the general tone of public affairs, and it has given the women of Colorado a voice in the public affairs to which they are justly entitled, and which it is for the general welfare that they should have.

So far as Colorado is concerned, woman suffrage is a success, and we believe it would be a success in any community where it was given an intelligent trial. It is something that is in accord with the spirit of American institutions, involving the principles of justice, liberty, equality, self-government and the dignity of womanhood. The successive defeats of equal suffrage at the hands of double-dealing legislators will be only a temporary setback to a cause that has right behind it, and the success of the experiment wherever tried, must inevitably lead to its ever-increasing indorsement by the people.

THE TROUBLE IN MACEDONIA.

EVERY American who believes in liberty and justice will hope that the gathering war clouds in southeastern Europe may mean the final sweeping away of the odious tyranny and misgovernment of the Turks.

Until recently the unceasing strife between the Christian peoples of Turkey in Europe and their Mohammedan rulers was regarded mainly as a religious dispute. But of late years the civilized and intelligent peoples of the world have come to see more and more that the religious question, while an important element of the problem, is of less importance than the civil features involved. In other countries Christians and Mohammedans, Catholics and all the various Protestant sects, men of every religion and men of no religion at all, have learned to live peaceably together, respecting each other's opinions and co-operating for the general good.

The curse of Turkey is not a conflict of religions, but an utter failure of government, and it is this failure that is a sufficient justification for revolt by Turkish subjects and for interference by outside powers.

After our recent experience in Cuba it is fair to say that the United States would not have tolerated such misrule for so long a time in its immediate neighborhood. But the jealousies of the European powers have prevented them from taking action that was demanded by every consideration of humanity and right. Russia, Great Britain, Germany, Austria, France and Italy have had their strength paralyzed by their own contentions, and the Turk with successful cunning has played one against another as it was for his interest to do.

Europe deserves little credit for the successive liberation of various parts of the Turkish empire. It has been simply dropping to pieces from the effects of its own decay.

It will be fortunate for all concerned if matters have finally come to such a state that the overthrow of Turkish rule in Europe may be finally accomplished. The European possessions of the Turks are now reduced to a small area as compared with what they once held. Now it should not be a question of further reduction but of absolute expulsion or extinction. The Turk as a ruler does not belong in Europe. As a governor he is a failure, a menace and a disgrace. Anything is better than the continuance of the colossal crime that is being perpetrated daily in European Turkey under the name of government.

PECULIAR DIPLOMACY.

THE REPORT that the German foreign office has repudiated a positive agreement made by a duly authorized diplomatic representative is astonishing. There must be some explanation of the matter that does not appear on the surface, and it is certainly due to Germany's standing among civilized nations that some explanation should be made without delay.

In the meantime it does not appear that this unexpected tangle seriously threatens the peaceful settlement of the dispute. According to the dispatches the German attitude is not approved by either Great Britain or Italy, and Minister Bowen says that if Germany can stand doing business that way, Venezuela can, too. So the matter appears to be one that primarily concerns the dignity and effectiveness of the German diplomatic service and has only an incidental bearing upon the major questions in dispute.

The passage of the bill for a department of commerce makes an important addition to our federal government. The ever-increasing business has already expanded our organization far beyond the limits fixed by the founders of this government, and it is a wonderful tribute to their wisdom that the system established by them has been fitted for all this increase with so little change.

THE GUNNISON NORMAL SCHOOL.

ONE OF the acts of the Thirteenth general assembly was to establish a normal school at Gunnison and to appropriate $2,500 for improving the site which, it was provided, should be donated free of cost to the state. In accordance with this act a board of three trustees was appointed by the governor, and their first annual report showing the expenditure of the somewhat meager appropriation has been presented to the governor.

The site secured for the Western Colorado normal school consists of 43 acres, adjoining the city of Gunnison on the northeast and supplied with water from the city's pipe lines and ditches. The entire amount of the appropriation has been expended in actual improvements upon the site, and every cent of personal expense of the members of the board in connection with the discharge of these duties has been borne by them individually.

It appears from the report that the preliminary work of locating another necessary and most beneficial state institution has been happily accomplished, and the assembly should not hesitate to continue the policy of building up this western normal school. In this connection it may be stated that the Gunnison school board by resolution has offered the state the free use of one of the three large brick school buildings of that city, so that it is not necessary to wait for the construction of a building before beginning the sessions of the normal school.

THE ALASKAN BOUNDARY.

RATIFICATION of the Alaskan boundary treaty was not secured without the opposition of some northwestern senators who were true to the traditional policy summarized in the declaration "Fifty-four forty or fight." But it is generally admitted that it is better that the country did not go to war in 1846, and the great majority of Americans would be glad to see the vexatious and dangerous Alaskan boundary question finally settled and out of the way, even if it should be necessary to admit that we were somewhat in the wrong.

It is a good feature of the new treaty that it seems to provide a fair tribunal and one from which a just decision may be expected. The attitude of Great Britain has always seemed to be a reasonable one in this matter, and the general impression is that it would have been settled long ago if it had not been for Canadian interference. The treaty just ratified provides for a commission of six members, three Americans and three British, so that it is difficult to see how any injustice to the United States can result. It is more than probable that a genuine effort will be made to discover the real facts in the case and that the decision will be a just and fair one. And more than that, we have no right to expect.

The disclosures of whipping in the British army have very properly caused a sensation, the more so as the victims were officers and titled officers at that. It is no novelty for soldiers to be driven into battle by lashes in the hands of their officers, and in fact we remember to have heard stories of the kind at the time of the Spanish war. But it is certainly a very poor training either for officers or for men, to subject them to any kind of discipline that impairs or destroys their self-respect. The American army very properly boasts of the "initiative" of the individual soldier, that is, his ability to take care of himself, not only in the habitual conditions of drill, but also in the ever-changing circumstances of the battle field. This "initiative," which is a most valuable quality in a soldier, is the result of self-confidence and of self-respect, such as are not possible to any man who is degraded by whipping, whether administered by his superiors or by his equals in rank.

Yesterday was Lincoln's birthday. It was celebrated with more or less formality in many cities of this country, and informally in the grateful heart of every American who loves his country and who appreciates how much of our present greatness and prosperity is due to the president who in the greatest crisis our government has ever experienced stood to the death for Liberty and Union.

The earthquake that caused the tidal wave in the South Seas, with a consequent heavy loss of life, on January 13, was recorded by delicate instruments of the United States coast and geodetic survey at Baldwin, Kan., and Cheltenham, Md.

An Indian skeleton, measuring nearly seven feet, was recently uncovered near Trinidad. The bones are probably those of the Cardiff giant, "when he was a baby."

AMERICAN INSURANCE IN GERMANY.

(New York Tribune.)

The significant announcement is made that there is a division of official opinion at Berlin on the matter of letting American insurance companies do business in Germany. The reported division is on exactly such lines as might have been expected. The foreign office, having regard for the foreign relations of the empire, and being especially desirous of cultivating friendly relations with the United States, is in favor of admitting American companies on reasonable terms. The ministry of the interior, having regard for the internal interests of the empire, and acting largely upon the urgent representations of the German insurance companies, which dread American competition, is inclined to oppose the entrance of American companies into the German field with every technicality for which warrant can be found in law. In both these attitudes there is to be found the engaging quality of frankness, though whether the latter one of them is altogether equitable and will permanently prove profitable is another question open to grave consideration.

American companies—life insurance or any other—seeking to do business in Germany should comply with German laws. That is obvious. It is also obvious that German laws on such subjects should be impartial and reasonable. No American complains because he is subjected to the same requirements for doing business in Germany as are imposed upon all other aliens. But if there is special discrimination made against him because of his nationality he has good cause for complaint. Moreover—and this is perhaps most of all to the point—a government policy would seem to be open to criticism which imposes technical conditions not for the sake of safeguarding policy-holders and making the business secure and stable, but solely for the sake of annoying, discouraging and excluding those who would engage in the business. The latter, to speak plainly, has seemed to be the policy of some German officials; and it is against such a policy that the German foreign office is now protesting.

It would, indeed, be difficult for Germany to exclude American companies save on some such unworthy ground. There surely can be no objection to them on the ground that they lack stability, integrity or trustworthiness. Such criticism of them would be dismissed with Homeric laughter. The world contains no insurance companies more secure and trustworthy than some of those in this country, the names of which have long been synonyms for financial strength and uprightness. Great Britain and France and other countries welcome them. Certainly it seems anomalous that Germany alone should regard them as unfit to do business in her realm. Her exclusion of them looks for all the world like unreasoning discrimination for the protection of domestic concerns from competition.

Nor is it possible to justify the German policy on the ground of retaliation against the protectionist policy of the United States. Our tariff policy indulges in no such discriminations. It treats all aliens alike. Moreover, it does not comprise the slightest prohibition against the doing of business here by foreign corporations. On the contrary, German and other companies are engaged in business here on a large scale. There is no petty nagging at them. There is no inclination to bar them out with mere technicalities. There is given to them a fair field, with no favor and with no artificial handicap. That is all American companies ask in Germany. They are willing to give all reasonable guarantees and to comply with all reasonable conditions, and, having done so, it certainly seems as though they should be permitted to do business. It is encouraging to see that the German foreign office thinks so. Perhaps one of these days the whole German government will take the same enlightened view of the case.

The United States Might Have Occupied Panama.

In view of the chaos existing upon the isthmus and the total inability of Colombia to maintain governmental institutions there, we should have been abundantly justified long ago, in assuming an indefinite occupancy of the isthmus pending the establishment of a responsible and constitutional government in the republic. The present government is nothing better than arbitrary dictatorship. As against the demands of these Colombian officials, it would seem to be a straining of our rights under international law to make a reckoning of the actual cost to which we have been subjected, in recent years, by the necessity of protecting life and property on the isthmus, and maintaining the operation of the Panama railroad. It is important that the preliminaries should be arranged in a proper way before we spend perhaps $200,000,000 in constructing a canal. That we should be charged in perpetuity a high rental for constructing a public work on Colombian soil that will be of the highest benefit to Colombia, is a financial proposition with hardly a parallel in all history for its absurdity. Meanwhile, fresh doubts seem to have been thrown upon the engineering feasibility of the alternative Nicaragua route, and the whole situation is befogged and extremely unsatisfactory. A right solution is far more to be desired than a prompt one. It is natural that there should be strong pressure brought to bear on our government to conclude any sort of arrangement with Colombia by the various interests, legal, journalistic and otherwise, that are serving the cause of a French company which expects to get $40,000,000 in cash out of the United States treasury in pay for the assets of an abandoned enterprise, and for franchises which on their face were originally non-transferable, and which had expired some time ago, although renewed for a short term by means which would hardly bear investigation.—(From "The Progress of the World," in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for February.

An Improved Method of Real Estate Assessment in Cities.

In the taxation of real estate, publicity has been carried to its highest perfection in St. Paul. In 1896, the deputy assessor, Mr. W. A. Somers, invited the chamber of commerce and other bodies to select committees from the different sections of the city, who should place a front-foot value on the middle lots of each block in the city. With these values before him, he constructed percentage tables showing the variations to be allowed for different depths and for corner lots. He then plotted convenient sections of the city on large charts, which were hung up at a public meeting place, to which he invited on successive evenings the citizens and residents interested in the particular sections announced for review. Criticisms were made, and the corrected valuations were then transferred to the assessment rolls. This practice applied only to ground valuations, and not to improvements. Buildings were assessed separately, under the supervision of a committee of architects and builders. This committee drew up a blank schedule for the description of buildings, and these schedules were filled out by clerks who inspected the properties. The schedules provided for a minute description of each building, showing the material of which it is constructed, the dimensions, projections, roof, outside finish, inside finish, method of heating, water supply, drainage, number and character of rooms, sidewalks, etc. Following is one of the 17 items taken from this schedule, showing the particularity with which the description is made. The clerk, in using the schedule, checks off by means of a circle the appropriate word descriptive of this feature of the building.

Outside finish:
Siding, shingles, brick, common, pressed, stone, cut, rough.
Trimmings:
Plain, ornamental, stone, metal, wood.

The schedules, when filled out, were returned to the committee of experts, who placed a value per square foot on each building according to its description in the schedule. From this the clerks computed the total value of the building for taxation. This system of publicity and expert valuation has given complete satisfaction to the citizens of St. Paul, and has raised the problem of real estate assessment from an amateurish guess to a scientific demonstration. The cost is no greater than that of the former guessing method. The system was recently adopted in Cleveland, and revealed some startling inequalities in preceding assessments.

In Cleveland, the reassessment on the basis of the Somers system was conducted on an elaborate scale, and with great attention to detail, under the direction of the assessor, Peter Witt. A large number of charts were drafted, and the ground values of basing points in each block were determined at public hearings. These were then published and distributed to taxpayers, with other charts showing cash values and the appraised values of the preceding assessment. (From "Some Taxation Problems and Reforms," by Prof. John R. Commons, in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for February.

Poor Oxford.

It is no secret—it is not even news—that the University of Oxford feels very poor. A book has lately been issued setting forth its pressing needs, to which the London Times has called attention. The Rhodes scholarships, instead of helping it have increased its burdens. Its great library, the Bodleian, is cramped for room, both for books and readers, and has not funds enough to buy the books needed to keep it abreast of the times. Its deficiencies are so serious that the Oxford board of Modern History reports that "the scientific study of European history cannot at present be prosecuted at Oxford. In science its wants are manifold. It lacks equipment for the study of metallurgy. Its instruction in geology is wofully inadequate, it needs a mechanical laboratory, with instructors, buildings, and machines; it has no engineering department, and it is far behind the times in the attention it pays to physics. Something seems to be wrong with the relations of England to Oxford. Perhaps the trouble is that the old university has been so long regarded as a rich man's university, and as a source of income and maintenance to fortunate fellows, that the British public is slow to realize that the venerable nurse of learning herself needs to be fed. There is no lack of money in England, but the British millionaires seem not to have formed the habit, so widespread here, of giving money to universities. Dr. Andrew White, defending his countrymen from the charge of greed, said last November, in a valedictory speech in Berlin, that the gift of over $70,000,000 to American colleges in 1901 abundantly proved that if the American knows how to chase the mighty dollar, he also knows how use it. The British are earnest moneygetters, but they don't seem to have the American accomplishment of letting go.—(Harper's Weekly.

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Gains Among the Line Again Characterized the Gazette's Contest Yesterday---No Change of Position Among Leaders.

Yesterday saw the votes continue to pour into the Gazette office for the various candidates for the three handsome and valuable prizes that have been offered by this paper for the most popular gentleman employe first second and third in El Paso county.

Charles Rafield continues to lead the race being now more than [illegible] votes ahead of James Cromwell who is still the second man. Alward passed the [illegible]000 mark yesterday.

HOW THEY STAND.

Name and where employed	Votes
Charles Rafield Rafields	15,500
Jim Cromwell Pike's Peak club	10,130
Bert Segelbaum Kaufmans	8,670
Harry Alward, Elks club	5,070
Mike Barrett conductor	4,480
William Mason Hemenways	2,210
F P Dunkle mail [illegible]	1,210
C G Graham Exchange Bank	840
Mel Wright Antlers	[illegible]
Wm Tuttle conductor Midland	[illegible]
Joe Clark Burgess	[illegible]
Bert Briscoe Hazlitts	[illegible]
Otto Seyffert Holbrook & Perkins	[illegible]
Sherm McNew poll sergeant	[illegible]
Nick Johnson Santa Fe	[illegible]
Mr Tickey Elite laundry	[illegible]
Keith Conacher fire department	[illegible]
Leo Koch Alamo Cigar Stand	[illegible]
F W Whitehead W U T Co	[illegible]
Frank Dupps Colorado & Southern	[illegible]
O K White El Paso stables	[illegible]
Logan Randolph Mining Investor	[illegible]
George L Bradley Brunswick Billiard hall	[illegible]
Wm Hayes First National Bank	[illegible]
Grant Pauley Equitable Life	[illegible]
E H McGee Hazlitts	[illegible]
J A Voorhees City hall	[illegible]
Guy Osborne conductor	[illegible]
N E Sage clerk Alamo	[illegible]
Bert Jones Garretts	[illegible]
H L Dwinell Blakes	[illegible]
Mr Barlow Hext Music Co	[illegible]
Chas M Lee Finklesteins	[illegible]
H P Barber Seldomridges	[illegible]
Ward McMahon Holbrook & Perkins	[illegible]
Harry Johnson Giddings	[illegible]
George M Mahon Colo Springs Trust Co	[illegible]
George Milone H LeB Wills & Co	63

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[illegible] Business

One of the matters now being considered by the members of the chamber of commerce is in regard to the licensing of carriages in this city. The question did not come up in the meeting of the executive committee Wednesday evening but it was discussed by the members individually after the meeting adjourned. Under the present arrangement a license fee of $10 per year is exacted from the owners of the vehicles which transport people about the city and to the various points of interest. This has been a lucrative business during the tourist season in the past and is liable to be more so as the number of tourists increases. Under the present law there is nothing to prevent the owner of a horse and surrey living anywhere in the state to come in here during the busy season and by the payment of $10 be as much entitled to do business as citizens of Colorado Springs. It is this aspect of the business that is now being agitated. It is felt by the members of the chamber that this business of right belongs to bona fide residents of this city and should not be spoiled by the number of old traps and broken down skates that are brought in here from the surrounding country. The local cabbies not only pay a license but a personal property tax upon the value of their rigs which the outsiders do not do. It is probable that the matter will be brought to the attention of the city council. At the same time recommendations would be made regarding enactments to prevent the charging of exorbitant rates for carrying passengers to the places of interest.

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[illegible] Meetings [illegible]

A 10-days series of religious meetings will be begun in this city on February 24, under the auspices of the National Association for the Promotion of Holiness. Prominent speakers and singers belonging to the association will be here and add interest to the meetings. The arrangements are in charge of Architect A J Smith and Dr F C Chamberlain. Rev C. J Fowler of Boston, editor of the Christian Witness, and the Rev Bud' Robinson of Texas will be the principal speakers. The latter is known as the "Walking Bible" a cognomen given him because of his ability to quote long passages from the scriptures. It is possible that Rev J Huff will also be present and speak. J M and Mrs H J Harris singers of a national reputation will be present. A meeting of the religious workers in the city has been set for Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the county court house. All interested are invited to attend this meeting.

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[illegible] Brigadier General

Col Greenleaf A Goodale, brother of Mrs W F Slocum has been recommended by President Roosevelt for the rank of brigadier general. Col Goodale is now in command of the Seventeenth regular infantry stationed at Vancouver, Washington. In a list of recommendations for appointments and promotions sent to the senate Wednesday, President Roosevelt mentions prominently the name of Colonel Goodale, who has a record that would easily warrant his promotion to a high office in the military service. Colonel Goodale has been in the American army for nearly 40 years and has seen service in the civil war, different Indian campaigns, and in the Philippine campaign. Both Colonel Goodale and his wife are well known in Colorado Springs, both having visited the family of President Slocum of the college. R L Goodale, a son of the colonel, is at the present time a resident of Colorado Springs and is connected with the Colorado Springs Electric company.

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[illegible] Services Took Place in Classes at Colorado College Yesterday

The annual day of prayer for colleges was observed at Colorado college yesterday in a most appropriate manner. No regular classes were held during the day and both morning and afternoon were given up to religious services. The day was opened at 1:30 by meetings of the different classes. These were in the nature of bible study meetings and all classes including those of Cutler academy participated. At 11 o'clock Prof. W. C. Sturgis addressed the college students and the public on Christian Citizenship. Prof. Sturgis was formerly a member of the faculty at Yale and delivered a masterful address. Perkins auditorium was well filled a large number of people outside of college circles being in the audience. In addition to the regular chapel music a number of special hymns were sung.

At 4:30 the students attended vesper services in the art room of Perkins hall. Prof. Edward S Parsons dean of the college conducted these services and the members of the senior class took a leading part. Members of the faculty and student alike pronounce yesterday the most successful day of prayer in the history of the college and much good has undoubtedly resulted from its observance.

[illegible] Expressed [illegible] Sent [illegible]

Colorado Springs Attorneys Took Action in Seeds Matter

AND A DECLARATION WAS ADOPTED

Leading Members of the Bar Signed Document That Was Sent to the Legislature---Declare Confidence in Honor and Integrity of the Judge

A statement was drawn up and signed yesterday in the law offices of Lunt, Brock and Wilcox which expresses the sentiment of the local bar upon the subject of the impeachment of Judge Seeds. That the paper was not signed by every lawyer in town is said to be entirely due to the fact that an opportunity to sign could not be given to every one. The document had to be hurried off to Denver for the immediate consideration of the judiciary committee of the house of representatives which is sitting in that city. Lawyers who could be found were asked to attach his name to the paper and a similar expression from every member of the El Paso county bar signed by nearly every lawyer in the district has been forwarded to Denver. The following is the statement with the names which were signed:

Colorado Springs, Colo., Feb. 11, 1903.

We the undersigned members of the bar of El Paso county hereby state that in the entire confidence in the personal and official honor and integrity of Judge William H Seeds of the eighth judicial district and we firmly believe that the charges now made against him are wholly groundless and that he is entitled to a full and fair hearing.

H G Lunt	Ira Harris
A J Gunn	N W Sterrett
Rufus C Thayer	N M Campbell
A R Talbott	O B Willcox
W S Morris	W H Springer
T J Black	H C Gossett
J W Shaffer	John S Fine
L S Dolman	George Gardner
Walter Scott	J J McDevitt
Otis S Johnson	Tuttle & Wright
Geo M Irwin	W H [illegible]
Leonard E Curtis	C W Musser
John M Hitman	Richard Brooks Jr
H W Foster	[illegible]
C F McKesson	W K Ewing
J T Little	W H Bonfright
Henry M Allister	Robt E Lewis
Jr	

MORE MOTTOES SUGGESTED FOR COLORADO SPRINGS

The chamber of commerce is still receiving mottoes for Colorado Springs in addition to those published yesterday morning in the Gazette the following have been received:

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Pike's Peaks Haven of Rest.
Banner Resort for Health and Wealth.
United States Mountain Gem.
Sunshine Oxygen Altitude Humanity.
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WALLACE-SHEPHERD

On Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at their future home 906 South Sahwatch street Mr Albert G Wallace and Miss Hattie M Shepard were united in marriage the Rev M D Grimes officiating. The ring service was used. After the ceremony Miss Hastings caterer served an elaborate and well appointed wedding dinner. There were present Mr and Mrs Wesley Nethers, Miss Maud Nethers, Percy and Bessie Jones, Mr and Mrs Jones, Mrs Cum of Chanute Kansas and Miss Corinne Wallace.

Mr Wallace is the hydraulic and electrical engineer for the Pueblo and Suburban Traction and Light company at their plant located between Victor and Pueblo.

THE INTEREST INCREASES.

It is seldom that Colorado Springs experiences weather like we had yesterday. In face of such conditions it will surprise most people to learn that the auction of White's Art Galleries was well attended the premises being crowded most of the day.

Much of this interest is due to the fact that the people know the genuine nature of the F M White & Co's stock and realize just what they are buying. An additional source of interest is the gentlemanly and able work done by Mr P E Pope the auctioneer. His method of disposing of each article must meet with approval for there is an absence of all superfluous talk and a businesslike statement of just what each article is. In securing the services of a man like Mr Pope Messrs White have certainly maintained the high reputation of their store. Mr Pope's home is in Fond du Lac, Wis but he has travelled all over this country holding auctions. That he finds favor with the people of Colorado Springs speaks volumes of good words for the able attractive and honest way in which he does business.

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THE LAST WEEK

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CLEARANCE CLOTHING SALE

[illegible] Said [illegible] Damages

EDWARD ERICKSON SAYS THIS IS WHAT ONE WAS WORTH TO HIM

Lost a Member by the Slamming of a Door on an Electric Car and Brings Suit Against the Short Line for Damages

In the district court Edward Erickson has filed a suit for $5,000 damages against the Colorado Springs & Cripple Creek District railway. He plead that he was damaged to that extent by an accident that occurred to him while riding on one of the cars of the road in this city.

According to the application Erickson boarded a street car on the evening of Monday, January 12 at the corner of Pikes Peak avenue and Tejon street. While the door of the car was being closed he was allowed to remain in the vestibule and violently struck upon the head of the plaintiff and knocked out his right eye. He had to have the member removed by a surgeon. This has so incapacitated Erickson for business.

TO PREPARE FOR ANNUAL HIGH SCHOOL RECEPTION

A meeting of the executive committee of the High school alumni association was held last evening for the purpose of beginning preparations for the annual reception and banquet held at the close of the school year in honor of the High school graduating class.

It is the expectation of the members of the committee that the class of 1903 will be received into the alumni association upon a most attractive occasion. The members of the association are manifesting an unusual interest in the matter.

NAVAL RECRUITING STATION TO BE OPEN HERE IN MARCH

A naval recruiting office will be opened in Colorado Springs from March 9 to 14. Young men are wanted to enlist in the navy who are from 18 to 21 years old for a wage of $16 per month. Apprentices for which the class is eligible boys from 15 to 17 years receive a salary of $9 monthly. All candidates must pass a physical examination to show freedom from disqualifying ailments and be able to write and read English. On enlistment the boys receive an outfit of clothing worth $4.

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GRAND MASTER DONATH OF ODD FELLOWS WAS HERE

Grand Master Adolf Donath of Fort Collins of the Colorado jurisdiction I. O. O. F. was in the city yesterday and took part in the joint meeting of Pikes Peak lodge No 140 last evening. The meeting last evening was one of the most important of the year, 11 candidates being initiated into the mysteries of the third degree. The grand master officiated in the conferring of this degree.

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DAUGHTERS OF REVOLUTION HEARD INTERESTING PAPER

The regular meeting of Zebulon Pike chapter Daughters of the American Revolution was held yesterday morning with Mrs A T Gunnell. The main feature of the meeting was the reading of a paper by Mrs Martin Slaughter on "The Beginnings of Virginia." The paper was a long one but its interest was such that its length was not noticeable. Following the regular meeting the directors met for a brief business session. Only routine matters were discussed.

SHORT TIME EXCURSION
RIPPLE CREEK AND RETURN
SUNDAY FEBRUARY 15

Tickets will be sold for train leaving Colorado Springs at 10:37 a m at $1.00 round trip. Good returning date of sale.

PIONEER COLORADO SPRINGS RESIDENT DIED IN DENVER

Mrs Seraph M Marsh formerly of this city and well-known to the older residents of Colorado Springs died in Denver at noon Wednesday. Mrs Marsh was the wife of George H Marsh of the Marsh Printing company of Denver, and mother of Mrs S P Kirkpatrick also of that city. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon the interment being in Fairmount cemetery. Mr and Mrs Marsh came to Colorado Springs some 25 years ago and lived here many years before removing to Denver. Major Marsh was connected with the newspapers here in the early days. He was commander of the George G Meade post G A R after removing to Denver. Mrs Marsh was 65 years of age.

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[illegible] at the Alamo.

A F Hunt [illegible] at the Plaza.

J [illegible] of Omaha [illegible] at the Antlers.

C L Wright of New York is stopping at the Antlers.

W [illegible] of Springfield Ill is among the guests at the Plaza.

W H Dr[illegible] of W S Hartz Chicago is a guest at the Alamo.

J W Bl[illegible] of St Louis [illegible] among yesterday's arrivals at the Elk.

Mr M O Elsw[illegible] of Denver is spending few days at the Alamo.

John A Gr[illegible] and A Harrison of Denver are among the guests at the Elk.

D O Darnell of Denver was among yesterday's arrivals at the Spaulding house.

Mrs A E Jennings of Chicago is spending few days at the Spaulding house.

W O White [illegible] of the Oil of [illegible] company is registered at the Antlers.

A Cozbum of Leadville is in the city on business. He is registered at the Spaulding house.

Mrs Dr L C Dorr [illegible] has taken apartments at the Plaza for the remainder of the winter.

W F Hickwell of Cripple Creek is in the city on business and is registered at the Alamo.

Eugene H Lamb traveling agent of the Chicago & Northwestern is in the city on business.

W A Olm[illegible] went to Leadville last night over the Colorado Midland on short business trip.

Mrs James Woods and Miss Eva Ives of Peterboro Ontario are spending a few days at the Antlers.

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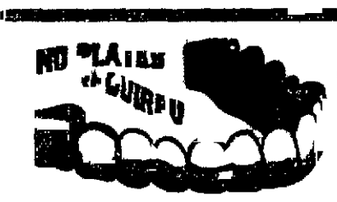

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IDA MAY'S LEASING POLICY

Inducements Offered to Secure Development of the Entire Territory—Extensive Development Work Planned on Ida C.—Good Progress on Golden Cycle Three Compartment Shaft.

Special to the Gazette.

Cripple Creek, Feb. 12.—The Ida May company is considering a number of applications for leases on its main working shaft, but as yet no decision has been made concerning them. The company, which recently suspended operations on company account, believes it would be more desirable to lease the entire estate out to responsible parties, who would work the property systematically and thoroughly. At this time there is one lessee working on the property, and he is at work on block 1 and part of block 2 where, at a depth of 80 feet, he is drifting on a very promising vein, and is saving ore that runs between $30 and $40 to the ton. While the vein is some three feet in width the ore streaks will not measure over 12 inches in width. The Ida May company owns 25 acres of property on Raven hill, and it is believed their intention is to lease the property out with such royalties as will induce lessees to take hold and develop the ground.

Kenron and others, operating the Ida C., lately installed an entire new plant of machinery at their property when they put in a large 78-horse power boiler, and at the present time a large compressor is being put in place. The lessees have been operating on this property for some time, and the results obtained have caused them to invest in the new machinery, and from now on development work will be rushed. They intend using machine drills as soon as the compressor is in working order, when they will thoroughly exploit their property. Mr. Welch of Chicago, is manager of the property, and it is his intention as soon as machinery is all set up, to greatly increase the mine force, and push development work in several directions.

Hanson & Miller, who recently secured a lease on the Pueblo claim belonging to the Free Coinage company, are pushing the work of sinking a large working shaft, which now reaches a depth of 30 odd feet, where they have a fair looking" vein, some three feet in width, from which they have received good assays.

Drifting has been started both ways from the bottom of the main shaft of the Aola property on Raven hill, as the contract let some time ago for the sinking of the shaft to the depth of 350 feet has been completed. Lessee Hill, who is working the property, intends to push the work of prospecting the country at this depth.

Superintendent McIlwee who has charge of the work on the Pauper claim for the Practical Leasing company, has now two shifts at work, and is pushing development work with all possible speed.

The large three-compartment shaft of the Golden Cycle company has now reached the depth of 1,000 feet, and an additional 200 feet of sinking will be pushed on down as rapidly as possible, as it is the desire of the management to reach a depth of 1,200 feet before spring.

LISTING COMMITTEE WILL SUPPRESS EXTRAVAGANCE

The officers of the mining exchange have had prepared a tabulated statement of all the companies represented upon the board. This statement shows the exact condition of each company, cash on hand, debts and salaries paid, and is made up from the sworn statements filed by the officers of the companies. This table shows that many companies heavily in debt are yet paying salaries to their officers and increasing the debt to do so. The table was prepared for the use of the listing committee in making the general overhauling that is expected. The movement in favor of taking action regarding these salary-paying companies is growing and whatever is done by the committee will meet with the approval of the majority of the members. It has been felt for some time that a revision of the lists would result in better conditions on the exchange and the committee will shortly take up the matter. The question of salaries will probably be handled at the same time, saving the necessity of going through the conditions of all the companies twice.

LESSEE LEWIS HAS OPENED GOOD VEIN

Lessee J. K. Lewis, operating upon the J. I. C. and Sweepstakes claims of the Republic company, has opened up a vein three feet in width which averages $18.60 to the ton. Mr. Lewis took a lease upon these Battle mountain claims only a few weeks ago and immediately began developing the property thoroughly, operating through a shallow shaft upon the J. I. C. claim. The ore was opened up in the bottom of this shaft. From present indications values are expected to increase as depth is obtained and as the vein is more fully developed. The shaft in which the find was made is in the lower southwest corner of the claim, within 20 feet of the Rigi claim, from which $90,000 was taken out some time ago. The J. I. C. is also a neighbor of the Clyde claim of the company of the same name.

OLD GOLD MINES CO. CALLS ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Old Gold Mines company has been called for Tuesday, Feb. 17. The meeting will be held at the Interocean hotel, Cheyenne, Wyo. Considerable criticism of the officers in regard to the time of sending out the notices is heard in this city. The notices were mailed in Denver, Sunday, so that no stockholder could possibly receive the notice earlier than Monday. The books for the transfer of stock closed Wednesday night, thus allowing but two days in which to get stock transferred. As there is always more or less dealing just before the annual meeting, this has worked a hardship upon those dealing in the stock. Under the laws of Colorado, 30 days' notice is required for an annual meeting but the laws of Wyoming do not contain this provision. Stockholders living in the east could not possibly get any of their stock transferred. The recent heavy buying in this stock has caused considerable interest in the affairs of this company and the results of the meeting will be watched for. As far as is known in this city, nothing but the usual business of an annual stockholders' meeting will come up. There has been considerable talk of consolidation, probably due to the movement in the stock, but that such a thing is in the air is denied by the other company concerned.

BOSWELL GETS LEASE ON THE MARGUERITE CLAIM

The Fulton-Marguerite Mining company has granted a two years' bond and lease upon its Marguerite claim on Gold hill to L. S. Boswell. The bond is for $15,000. The Marguerite claim is a fraction of two acres located on the east slope of Gold hill and has not been worked of late. The amount of the bond in this case shows that claim values have not depreciated to as great an extent as has been claimed of late. The amount of the bond in this case indicates a value of $7,500 per acre. There has been comparatively little development work performed on this claim, the company having given the greater part of its attention to the Futon claim on Raven hill.

The Late Thomas B. Reed's Influence in Congress

Of the three great speakers whose death the house has mourned in this unusual manner, Mr. Reed had, the strongest hold upon the respect of the house. He was as unlike Clay and Blaine as they were like each other. He made no effort to obtain popularity. He concealed rather than revealed his personal attractions in public and disdained flattery as he did flatterers. In public life, and particularly in the house of representatives, he appealed only to the intellect and in the most direct and striking manner. He was literally the master of the house, and ruled by the force of his will and the strength of his reason, and not by the arts of diplomacy nor the wiles of the politician. It was understood of course, that he was honest clear through, honest in mind as well as in heart, and with a strong sense of justice, or he could not have had the admiration of the house. The house knew Mr. Reed, measuring him from week to week, as it measures all its rising men, in committee and on the floor, long before the country knew him.

It was not until he made his revolutionary rulings as speaker in the Fifty-first congress on January 29 and 30, 1890, when he destroyed filibustering by counting enough minority members present, but not voting, to make a quorum that the country came to know him. He was then 50 years old, having been graduated at Bowdoin college in 1860, and then studying and practicing law, with a brief service as acting assistant paymaster in the navy in the civil war, serving in the legislature and as attorney-general of Maine and afterward from 1877, in congress. He had by his ability as a rugged and brilliant debater, as a fighting captain of the Republican minority gained leadership early in his congressional career, and had been his party's nominee for the speakership in two congresses before it gained control of the house and he was elected speaker. The house had learned that he was a great man, and was not surprised by his great success as speaker, whatever its feelings about his methods of making and enforcing the rulings which became "Reed's rules." But there was nothing sufficiently dramatic or eventful in Mr. Reed's life before that time to attract the attention of the people generally, and the average newspaper reader practically discovered Mr. Reed when he read of the calmness, and indeed of the wit, with which the masterful speaker broke the power of "obstruction" in the house and made it possible for the majority to do business, while his political opponents, who afterward adopted his rules and his methods, almost raved with anger as they denounced him and his own side applauded him. —(A character sketch by Henry Macfarland in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for January.

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In June, 1900, President McKinley, for the third time, promoted Mr. Bowen by sending him as United States minister to Venezuela. He succeeded Mr. Loomis, who had got into some difficulty with the Venezuelan administration over the asphalt controversy. Such was the delicacy of the situation and the interests involved that it was feared, no matter what steps Mr. Bowen might take, he would be compelled to displease those whom he could ill afford to displease. To his credit, however, it can be said that he proposed a scheme of arbitration between the Bermudez and the Warner-Quinlan interests which their agents in Caracas deemed fair, and accepted. But the New York offices vetoed their agents' negotiations, and Mr. Bowen's good offices were for the time being fruitless. Since then Mr. Bowen has enjoyed President Castro's confidence, and during the recent unfortunate revolution he even obtained from the Venezuelan dictator an apology for the insult to the American nation by the Venezuelan warship Restaurador (formerly George J. Gould's yacht Atalanta). This vessel, in order to disarm suspicion, hoisted the American flag, steamed up the Orinoco and opened fire, within the three-mile sea limit, upon Ciudad-Bolivar, causing loss of life and property in the quarters inhabited by foreigners. Without waiting for instructions from Washington, Mr. Bowen demanded that a national salute be fired from the Restaurador, as well as a salute to the stars and stripes,—a demand with which Castro forthwith complied. This is the first time that an American minister, we believe, has ever asked reparation for such an incident without first obtaining consent from the state department. —(From "Herbert W. Bowen: An International Figure of the Month," in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for January.

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But the sailor's life is not altogether one of hard work, and on the whole he has a very good time. Dancing, gymnastics, fencing, boxing and boatracing fill his leisure hours. His natural fondness for pets is proverbial, and there are few ships without a mascot, be it a goat, dog, or Dennis the pig, which serves to lighten the hours of the dull watches at sea. Many stories are told of the prowess of ship's pets, at night on the forecastle, when the hammocks are down and the pipes lighted. One man spins a yarn of a cat that was born in an old boiler, cruised 50,000 miles in one ship, established a great reputation as a fighter in all parts of the world, and finally ended his adventurous career on the coral reefs of Samoa. Another tells of a monkey without ears or tail, with which he sailed in the China seas, whose fondness for liquid paint produced periodical attacks of blindness. Then there is a story of a dissipated dog who never lost an opportunity to get drunk and who always recognized the bugle call for the gig and invariably ran to the gangway when it sounded, to go ashore in state with the captain. But the best of all is the one of the pet bear who chased a young officer up the mizzen rigging. Fortunate indeed is the animal that falls into the hands of a sailor.

"The sailorman has his vagaries," once said the present bishop of Shanghai over the coffin of a sailor who had taken his own life, "but he is the tenderest-hearted creature into which God ever breathed the breath of life." (Lieut. Commander Gleaves in The World's Work.

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COLORADO SPRINGS MINING STOCK EXCHANGE

Colorado Springs, Feb 12—While the mining stock market was not as strong as yesterday the falling off was not of serious moment and several stocks held up so as to make the general average but little below yesterday's The volume of business was somewhat less In the mines list Acacia scored a good advance selling at 18½ C K & N opened fractionally higher and closed with a material gain Cripple Creek Cons was a fractional gainer and Elkton lost slightly Gold Dollar Cons was again in demand and scored a fractional advance Golden Cycle was the chief feature in this list The brokers started in to fill their orders and as a result the stock jumped to 78⅝, 7 600 shares changing hands Isabella showed some slight weakness and sold fractionally lower Pharmacist was a fractional gainer Portland recovered considerable of the lost ground but was a light trader Prince Albert remained stationary Among the preferred prospects, Buckhorn advanced fractionally Echo scored a material advance and New Haven remained stationary Republic advanced fractionally and Sunset-Eclipse remained stationary In the prospects list Aola gained fractionally and Old Gold and Texas Girl remained stationary

MINES

Stocks—	Bid	Ask
Acacia	17½	19
Anaconda	18	19
Argentum J		00½
Black Bell	5	6
C K Cons	3¼	3⅞
C K and N	19¼	20
Coriolanus	[illegible]	1¼
Dante		4
Dr-Jack Pot	10¼	12
Elkton Con	3.50	3.75
El Paso	67	68½
Fanny R		
Findley	11	11½
Gold Dol Con	[illegible]	7⅞
Golden Cycle	78¼	79½
Golden Link		2.00
Gould	[illegible]	
Isabella	1	
Jack Pot	11	12
Last Dollar	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lexington		[illegible]
Mollie Gibson	[illegible]	6⅛
Moon Anchor	8	10
Pharmacist Con	4	4½
Pinnach	[illegible]	
Lohler	1	1¼
Portland	1.15	1.20
Prince A	[illegible]	[illegible]
Vindicator	1.05	
Work	7¼	7¾

PREFERRED PROSPECTS

Alma		1¼
American Con	[illegible]	2¾
B H Ajax	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ben Hur	[illegible]	1⅛
Big Bill	6	7
Bob Lee		[illegible]
Buckhorn	2	2.50
Cedar		
C O G Ex		
Champion		1
C C and M	2	2.50
Constantine		1½
Cripple Creek C		1½
Dos Mones	1/2	
Dorothy	[illegible]	4.05
Faster Bell	[illegible]	1⅛
Echo	[illegible]	1
Evander	006	007
Flower of W	11	
Fulton M	003	
Gold Bell	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gold Stone Man	[illegible]	3½
Grit	0045	005
Gem Belt		[illegible]
Hunt	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ida May	6	15
Ingersoll	2	
Lilly Fan	0001	
Maffins		1¼
Keystone	7⅛	11
Little Fossil	4½	
Little Joan		[illegible]
Little Nell	1	[illegible]
Little Puck	8	1
Madelina		2
Mariposa	00[illegible]	
Mary Cashell	3	4
Midway		[illegible]
Missouri	[illegible]	[illegible]
M J T	00[illegible]	
Mobil	1	
Monarch		1½
Nellie V	1	
New Haven	[illegible]	
Olive Branch	001	1
Orade	1½	
Pinafore	[illegible]	
Pilgrim Con	[illegible]	[illegible]
Princess	1½	
Progress		[illegible]
Psyche		[illegible]
Republic	1⅛	[illegible]
Reward	00[illegible]	1
Robert Burns	1	
Rose Maid	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rose Nicol	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sunset Eclipse	[illegible]	[illegible]
Triumph	007	1⅛
Twin Sisters	1	
Uncle Sam		[illegible]
Union		[illegible]
Virginia M	[illegible]	
Volcano	001	
Wide Awake	004	
Zenobia	1	10

PROSPECTS

Stocks—	Bid	Ask
Agnes		1
Anchor	004	007
Anna May		006
Antelope	001	002
Aola		1⅞
Astor		2
Banner	0.05	00[illegible]
Cadillac		1½
C C Bullion		1½
Celestine		00[illegible]
Colfax	00[illegible]	005
Col Dames	00[illegible]	004
Cro Sam	001	
Dead Shot	009	
De Beers		1
Detroit	006	
Emma Alma	00[illegible]	
Favorite	001	
Figaro	001	002
Farquahar		2½
Fire Gold		1⅞
Gold Cliff	00[illegible]	00[illegible]
Golden Age	001	
G Eagle C C	001	
Gold Hill	008	1⅛
Gold Knob		1¼
Goldstone	0065	007
Henrietta	001	003
Hermosa		005
Horseshoe		002
Jean L	0015	
Key West	006	008
Kitty		1½
Lion Con	0035	
Little Man	003	0.2
Lucrative	004	007
Magic	001	
Magni Charta	1	
Magnet Rock		1½
Margaret		1¼
Maria A		1½
Marion	002	
Marquette		1⅞
Mir Nevin		2¼
Merrimac	0085	
Montreal		1¼
Navajo	001	
O K	007	
Old Gold		4
Ontario		1¼
Palo		1
Pelican	004	
Prin Seti	002	
Rittler		1½
Red Spruce	009	
Rocky Mt		2⅞
Santa Fe	002	
Shannon	004	0065
Silver Star	001	
Silver Gold	001	0025
Spar	002	003
St Thomas		1⅛
Texas Girl	003	004
Tutonic	1	
Xerxes		003
Zo		1

SEPARATE SALES

MINES.

Acacia 000 at 19
Anaconda 2000 at 18¼
C K and N 1000 at 19¼, 100 at 20
C C Con 1000 at ¼, 2000 at ¼
Elkton 100 at 3.50, 200 at 3.75
Gold Dol Con 1000 at 6⅞, 4000 at 7¼
Golden Cycle 1000 at 78, 2000 at 78¼, 500 at 78⅝, 100 at 78⅞
Isabella 200 at [illegible]
Pharmacist Con 1000 at 4⅞
Portland 600 at 1.15
Prince A 2000 at ⅞

PREFERRED PROSPECTS.

Buckhorn 1000 at 2, 1000 at 2⅛
Echo 5000 at 008
New Haven 1000 at [illegible]
Republic 1000 at 1⅛
Sunset Eclipse 2000 at 2⅛

PROSPECTS

Aola 1000 at 1¼, 1000 at 1⅞
Old Gold 15 000 at 4
Texas Girl 5000 at 0035

THE GLOBE DISTRICT, ARIZ.

In Professional Paper No 12, United States Geological Survey now in press, Dr Frederick Leslie Ransome discusses the geology of the Globe copper district of Arizona particularly of the Globe quadrangle

The area within the Globe quadrangle contains about 250 square miles and is situated in the southeast central part of the territory of Arizona between the Gila river on the south and Salt river on the north and includes portions of Gila and Pinal counties The town of Globe with a population of about 1 500 lies near the eastern edge of the quadrangle and is the terminus of the Gila Valley Globe and Northern railway a branch line about 130 miles long connecting with the Southern Pacific railway at Bowie The principal drainage of the district is northward through Pinal and Pinto creeks into Salt river a small area draining south into the Gila river

The Globe district lies in the heart of the mountain region of Arizona The Pinal range extends southeast to northwest across the quadrangle occupying with its flanking slopes about five-sixths of the total area These mountains culminate in Pinal peak 7 850 feet above sea and about 4 670 feet above the town of Globe situated on Pinal creek in the valley between the Pinal mountains and the Apache mountains to the northeast From Pinal peak the southwestern boundary of the plateau region is clearly visible some 70 miles to the northward while to the southwest the eye sweeps over the Dripping Spring and Tortilla ranges, with many subordinate rocky ridges, to where the reservoir at Florence flashes in the afternoon sun, on the borders of the desert region

The control imposed by climate conditions upon the geological processes of denudation and degradation which sculpture the hills is nowhere more strikingly shown than in those arid countries of which the Globe region furnishes an example for except the upper slopes of the Pinal mountains, the Globe quadrangle is typically arid The work of erosion done in a brief time by the violent cloudbursts of July and August is remarkable The surface of the region is almost destitute of soil The scanty growth is insufficient to prevent such soil as may form being washed away The rocks crumble or flake under the influence of sharp atmospheric changes The rains wash this disintegrated material down the larger streams Hence the dominant geological fact traceable directly to climatic control is the overwhelming preponderance of mechanical disintegration over chemical decay and the consequent freshness of the materials transported by the streams

Under the general geology of the quadrangle Dr Ransome sets forth the occurrence and distribution of the rocks and the importance of the very abundant faults in the development of the geological structure and in causing the ore deposits of the region

The rocks comprise Cambrian quartzites shales and conglomerates and Devonian and Carboniferous limestones resting upon a pre Cambrian complex of schists and granite intrusives All of these rocks have been invaded by extensive intrusives of diabase The principal mineralization was subsequent to these intrusives and the more important ore bodies occur in connection with limestone quartzite and diabase At a later time probably during the early tertiary the region was partly covered by a great flow of dacite The early Pleistocene was marked by the accumulation of thick fluviatile deposits the Gila conglomerate

Prior to the year 1874 the district section of the mountains of central Arizona and the predatory Apaches who lurked within their rocky fastnesses appear to have been obstacles from which even the proverbially hardy prospectors shrank But in that year a party of prospectors having crossed the Pinal mountains from the west located the Richmond Basin now part of the Old Dominion mine The Silver King mine about 19 miles southwest from the present town of Globe was located by members of this same party as they were returning to Florence Silver ores were at first the attraction in this region and remained so until 1888 when silver mining declined and the production of silver ores practically ceased in 1889 During the years between 1874 and 1880 settlements or camps sprang into existence at Rambler Cottonwood Springs Richmond Basin Watsonville Miami Globe and their activities found record in the Arizona Silver Belt newspaper started at Globe about 1881 whose files furnish much material for local history During 1881 and 1882 the raids of the Apaches under Geronimo and Nalchi kept the miners in a state of constant anxiety but the savages never ventured to attack the settlement of Globe In 1882 there were 12 mills reported in the Globe region working on silver and gold ores and having in all 86 stamps

The future prominence of copper as the principal product of the Globe district appears to have been at first unsuspected In spite of the strong surface indications of the presence of copper and those mines which subsequently became the largest producers were at one time worked for silver The first smelter of copper prospecting in the Arizona Silver Belt of July 11 1885 where return is made to the abundant copper revealed by the very superficial working on the Globe and the Globe Ledge lions This ore seems however to have attracted little serious attention until 1887 By May 1888 the Globe mine from this time on generally known as the Old Dominion mine was in full operation and its total production from 1887 to September 1888 is given as 2 500 000 pounds There were in all six copper furnaces in the district and mines other than the Old Dominion are credited with a total production of 1 000 000 pounds for the same period In 1898 the railroad reached Globe

In the Globe district the production of copper far exceeds in importance that of any other metal Up to the close of 1901 the total production of the Quadrangle is estimated at about 120 000 000 pounds of copper of which the Old Dominion mine produced more than three fourth Statistics of the output of gold and silver are lacking

The ores of the Globe district may be classed as free gold ores native silver and silver lead ores both of which play an insignificant part in the mining industry of the region and cupriferous ores containing varying amounts of the precious metals It is to the copper ores that the district owes its life The copper ores may be divided into oxidized ores and sulphide ores To the oxidized ores belong nearly all of the ore produced in the district up to 1901 Sulphide ore with occasional exceptions is practically of recent discovery and is a factor of increasing importance in determining the future of mining operations in this district

Mr Ransome discusses successively the mineralogy the form and geological occurrence the origin and the age of the ores and then he describes in detail the Old Dominion or Globe mine the group of the United Globe mines including the Grey Eagle the Buffalo the Josh Billings the Big Johnnie the Buckeye and the Stonewall mines several other mines in the Globe hills several mines northwest of Globe and several mines in schist on the western slope of the Pinal range

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CATTLE MARKET

Chicago Cattle Market

Chicago Feb 12—Cattle—Receipts 8 000 slow and steady Good to prime steers, $4 80@5 50, poor to medium $3 00@4 25, stockers and feeders $2 25@4 0 cows $1 40@4 40 heifers $2 00@4 70 canners $1 40@2 50 bulls $2 00@4 25 calves, $3 50@8 00 Texas-fed steers $3 00@4 25

Hogs—Receipts today 32 000 tomorrow 20 000 left over 6 000 Mixed and butchers $6 60@7 00 good to choice heavy $6 90@7 12½ rough heavy $6 60@6 85 light, $6 35@6 60 bulk of sales $6 75@6 80

Sheep—Receipts 10 000 sheep steady Good to choice wethers $4 75@5 35 fair to choice mixed $3 50@4 75 western sheep $4 75@5 25 native lambs $4 50@6 40 western lambs $4 75@6 40

Denver Live Stock

Denver Feb 12—Cattle—Receipts were very light today and with a blizzard in full blast the trade was not looking for very many cattle The beef offerings were confined principally to butcher stock odds and ends with one load of good Nebraska fed cows which were good enough to bring $3 60, which is about the top on fed cows There were a few stockers and feeders on sale which sold readily enough, but there was nothing in the offerings to anywhere near approach the top of the market, the best of the offerings selling at $3 45@3 60 The general tone of the market is very quiet Choice feeders are firm and in strong demand, but the demand on everything else is inclined to be slow to easy Buyers are not over-anxious to buy stockers yet until the winter shows some indications of moderating, as feed is very high and seems determined to go higher Shippers are also not inclined to force cattle to market at this time, and the outlook is for rather slow trade until the last of this month There is considerable uneasiness regarding the effects of the storm now in progress and this feeling is also reflected in the tone of the market

Hogs—Receipts were fairly liberal, but the market was inclined to be weak to slightly lower the top and bulk selling at $6 85 which is about the top Buyers are getting all the supplies they need and are apparently looking for a further decline as they are not anxious to stock up heavily Offerings went all sold however though some were held weighing up

Sheep—There were no sheep in and the market continues quiet and dull There is a fair demand for muttons and choice prime lambs and wethers are wanted Buyers are having no difficulty in securing all they want of the common kinds of sheep but the prime muttons and lambs are still in excess of the demand on all markets This is strictly on all markets and this market is probably the same as at the river

BOY

One of the best ways to help him is to teach him frugal habits inculcate the virtue of saving Teach him the true value of money—not as an end but as a means for doing good This may be done by inducing him to open an account and make regular deposits though small with The Assurance Savings and Loan Association, 109 E Kiowa St Branch office at The First National Bank Colorado City

(The advertisement of the Bank named above will appear in this place tomorrow)

MONUMENT

Mrs J K Holloway returned home Monday with relatives in Pueblo Saturday

School closed at Table Rock Friday Miss Sarah Wilson the teacher will spend some time visiting at Table Rock Spring Valley and Monument before going to her home in Colorado

Mrs Josiah Gulick spent a few days last week in Colorado Springs She returned home Friday

Mrs Walker's friends will be glad to know that she is now convalescent

Messrs Hinks and Doyle finished filling their large ice house at the reservoir Saturday So far the last cold spell the ice has been very fine

Mrs Higby returned from Denver Saturday where she was called the first of last week by the illness of her sister

Mrs E B Gettings spent a few days last week with her sister in Colorado Springs

Benedict Wednesday Mr and Mrs Oliver Wendell of Palmer Lake daughter

Mrs Clark was initiated into the Yeomen's order on Monday evening

The next debating contest will take place at the Woodman hall on Friday evening February 20 The college question will be debated and a large attendance is requested

Mr Fred Sailor spent last week in Colorado Springs

Mr Maulsby and family and the Off boys moved back to the ranch Monday

Miss Sarah Gwillim spent Saturday and Sunday at her home

Born To Mr and Mrs George Dalton of Palmer Lake on Sunday morning February 8 a daughter

Rev Mr Bell went to Denver Tuesday to spend a few days

John Lindquest was injured by a spike pole while working in the ice house at Palmer Lake

Mr Maddox and family passed through Monument one day last week on their way to their new home at La Junta

Miss Mattie McCann left Table Rock went to Colorado Springs Thursday She with her mother and sister will leave for Los Angeles California this week

Mr Will Doyle of Colorado Springs was in town Sunday

The Higby Mercantile company shipped a car of wheat Monday and a car of wool Tuesday

Rue Barnhart is able to sit up again

Arthur Stoddard returned from Colorado Springs Thursday

Mrs McConnell and daughter, Frances spent a part of last week with relatives in Colorado Springs

Mr Kilkie returned to Denver Sunday evening

Rev Mr Bell went to Colorado Springs Monday to view the remains of his old friend and benefactress Mrs McAfee

The members of the Women met at the home of Mr and Mrs McConnell Monday evening

Mrs W H Bennett went to Denver Tuesday to have her eyes treated

Mr Lou Lake unloaded a carload of wood for M W H Walker the first of the week

Mr and Mrs Haines Mr and Mrs Lorin and Mr Frank Off attended a private dance at the home of Mr Otis Nye

About 40 friends gathered at the home of Mr Lorin on Saturday evening for a surprise party High five was the order of the evening

Mrs Watson of Little Rock daughter of Colorado Springs are visiting for an extended visit with Mrs Watson's mother Mrs Hattie Clark

The Woodmen have invited their friends to a card party at their hall Thursday evening February 19

Rev Mr Bell held services at Table Rock Sunday morning and here in the evening

GREEN MOUNTAIN FALLS

Mrs Howard has returned from Cascade

Mr C F Illinois has returned after a three months visit in Kansas he spent part of the time in Wichita Topeka and Emporia

Mr Hamilton and Miss Childs went to Colorado Springs on business last week They had a fine ride

Quite a number of people met at Mr Bert Jewett's Friday evening to talk over and make arrangements prior to organizing a literary society

Several young folk gathered at Mrs Howard's Saturday evening and spent the evening pleasantly with games and eating molasses candy

We have had a number of fine weather and snow during the last week

Mr Percy Fairfield visited Manitou last Sunday

Miss Maud Howard has recovered and spent last Sunday with her mother

A jolly and entertaining poverty social was given at Lee Butte hall last Wednesday evening by the ladies of this place Cascade was represented

The following program was rendered tastily rendered by and all enjoyed refreshments and a social dance

Three acts Uncle Jacobs Money Miss Elsie Mills Miss Lillian Stoughton Miss Ada Duxbury Mr Percy Royer His Mother Bert Jewett

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Recitation Eva Cartwright
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Sele tion Mr J J Taylor
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Report of the condition as made to the Comptroller of the Currency Dec 6 1903

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$1 6 (illegible)
U S Bonds to Secure Circulation		1 0 000 0
Due from U S Treasurer Operating Fund		00 (illegible)
Bonds and Warrants	$ 048	
Due from Banks	02 (illegible)	
Cash	3 66 11	
		1 0 8 1 8
Total		5 4 1 1 3 6 0

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	$ 1 00 00 0
Surplus and Undivided Profit	3 5 3 3 4
Circulation	1 00 0 0 0
Deposit	2 8 0 1 6 8 6
Total	$ 4 3 3 3 0 0

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CRIPPLE CREEK COLO

At the close of business (illegible)

RESOURCES

Loans and Discount		$ 56 3
U S Bonds to Secure Circulation		0 000 0
Real Estate		3 9 4
U S Bonds to Secure U S Deposits	$1 0 0 0	
Other Bonds and Stocks		
Due from Banks and Bankers		
Cash		
Cash Items		
		$1 8 8

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	$
Surplus	
Undivided Profits	4 6
Circulation	
Deposits	1 4 6 7
	$1 8 8

The Exchange National Bank OF COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.

Report of Condition Made to the Comptroller of the Currency

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$
United States Bonds		0
Due From U S Treasurer		
Bonds and Warrants	$1 5	
Cash and Due from Banks	1 1	
		$

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	$
Surplus and Undivided Profits	1 1 8 4
Circulation	00
Deposits	3 10 148
	$

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RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$1 0 0 0	
U S Bonds	0 000 0	
Bonds and Warrants	4 1	
Furniture and Fixtures	2 00	
Due from Banks $889		
Due from U S Treasurer		
Cash in Vault	1 9 1	5 46 61
		$ 1 1 5 4

LIABILITIES

Capital	5
Surplus	
Undivided Profits	4 6
Circulation	
Deposits	1 4 6 7
	$1 1 5 4

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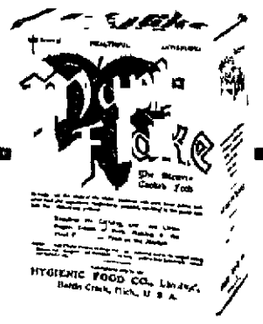

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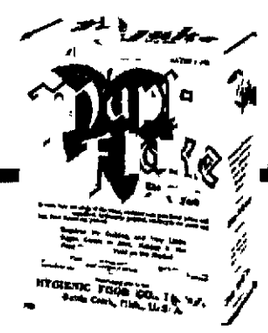

THE Colorado Springs National Bank

CORNER TEJON AND KIOWA STREETS (illegible)

Statement (illegible)

RESOURCES

Loans	$
Bonds and Warrants	
Interest Accrued	
Safety Deposit Vaults Furniture and Fixtures	
Cash and Due from Banks	4 8 50

LIABILITIES

Capital	
Undivided Profits	8 4
Deposits	5 1 4

OFFICERS

H G LUNT President JOHN G SHIELDS Cashier
IRVING W BONBRIGHT Vice President and Assistant Cashier
Treas

The Colorado Springs National Bank

Statement (illegible)

RESOURCES

Loans	$	0 00
Investments	1 1 1 9 4 80	
Furniture and fixtures	2 1 9	
Cash	2 1 6 1	
	$	

LIABILITIES

	$
	$ 1 0 7

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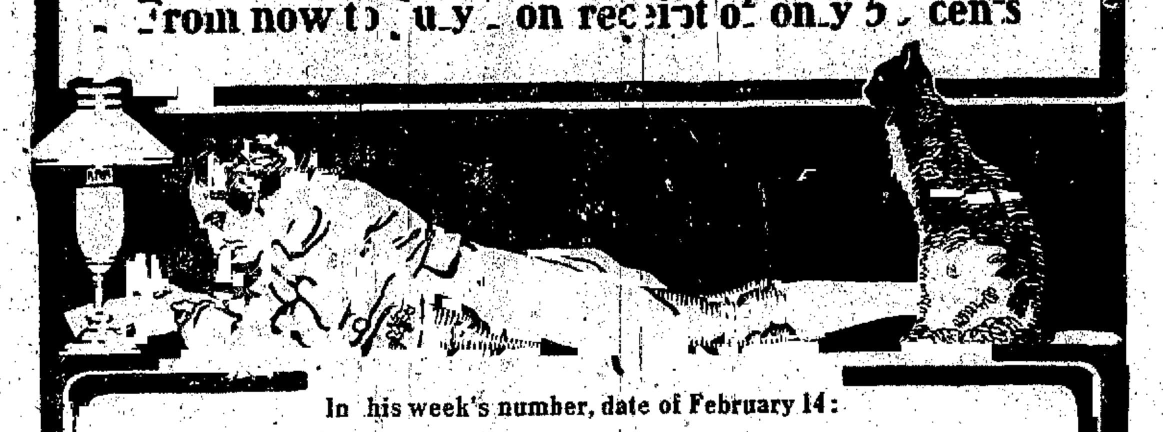

In this week's number, date of February 14:

The Real Boss of the United States
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The power *behind* "the power behind the throne." A personality abhorring notoriety, noise, conspicuousness of any sort, which yet reaches across all party divisions, and even in apparent defeat secures its secret desires.

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Who it is that pays for the privilege of shearing the gentle lamb.

Putting on the Play
By Clyde Fitch, Laurence Marston and others

The foresight, labor, time, money and anxiety spent behind the scenes before the curtain goes up the first night.

Three in a Game
By Morley Roberts

The ingenious device of two rivals for a San Francisco beauty, who, with the aid of "Shanghai" Smith, of the Barbary Coast, succeeded in shanghaing themselves.

A Start in Life
By I. K. Friedman

The first adventures of a beggar who decides to set up in business for himself.

These are but a few of the many good things in this week's number. Handsomely printed and illustrated. 500,000 copies weekly.

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[illegible] CRIPPLE CREEK

Short Line Began Work at Corner of Second and Myers--Cases in District Court.

Cripple Creek Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette.

Cripple Creek, Feb. 12.—This morning the Short Line began the construction of the city extension of its electric line. It was the intention of the company at first to run its line along the bluff, south of Myers avenue between Fourth and Fifth street, but it has now been decided to get down to Myers avenue direct from the station, which will be done by lowering the grade for some distance back in their yard, thereby enabling them to reach Myers over their own land, with less than an eight per cent grade. The work of lowering this grade will be quite a large job, and will take some time. Work was commenced this morning on Second and Myers, where they commenced to lay the tracks up Second street, to Bennett avenue. From there it cannot be learned in which direction they will go, but it is thought that it will continue up Bennett avenue to Fifth street, forming a loop where all electric cars will run around.

TAILOR SHOP ROBBED— Thieves effected an entrance by climbing through the transom at Felix & Sons tailor shop on South Third street early yesterday morning, and stole seven suits of clothes, five coats and vests, seven pairs of trousers, and six bolts of cloth, valued at over $200. Today a warrant was sworn out before Justice Patrick for the arrest of A. H. Workman, charging him with the crime. Later it was found that he had left for Colorado Springs last night, and the officers there were immediately notified to apprehend him. This evening word was received from the Colorado Springs officers that they had caught the man, and had made a search of all his baggage, but nothing of the lost articles could be found. When they were wired from police headquarters of this city to turn him loose.

ACTION FOR SLANDER— In the district court this afternoon an action for slander was filed by Elizabeth Benjamin, versus Carl and Mary Schultz. The complaint recites that on the 10th day of May, plaintiff owned the furniture which was in a building owned by defendants, when in some way the building caught fire, destroying both contents and building, which were insured nearly to the limit. When a settlement was being made by the insurance adjusters, defendants are charged with having falsely accused the plaintiff of setting it on fire, causing the insurance company to protest the policy. Plaintiff now asks for $3,500 damages, which she claims she lost by the false accusation.

INCORPORATED— Articles of incorporation were filed today with the county clerk and recorder by the Nesbitt-Miller Mines and Reduction company, capitalized for $10,000, to do a general mining business in Teller county, with the principal office located in Cripple Creek. The directors for the first year comprise the following gentlemen: S. H. Miller, A. Miller, and W. M. Nesbitt, Jr.

FRANK RITTER ILL—Frank Ritter, thought to be suffering from appendicitis, was brought to the Sisters hospital in this city from his home in Goldfield, where he has been sick for the past week. Ritter is a member of two or three local lodges, and is well known all over the district.

FAILED TO MEET— A meeting of the Women's Democratic club was called to be held in the county court room this evening at 8 o'clock, but up to a late hour two ladies, only, had arrived, and they decided that they had better call the meeting off.

STRUCK BY ROCK— John Cullen sustained several cuts about the head by falling rock at the El Paso mine on Beacon hill last night, which proved very painful, but not serious. Cullen was brought to his home in this city, 327 S. First street, where tonight he is getting along very nicely.

MONEY DEMAND—In the county court today a money demand case was filed by James B. Gaston versus Alonzo Frizzell, for the sum of $300 and costs of the suit.

IN DISTRICT COURT— The case of Burke and Fry versus the American Bonding and Trust company, took up the attention of the district court the entire day, with testimony from witnesses for the plaintiff, but nothing of any importance took place.

BOWLING—This evening the Victor and Cripple Creek bowling teams met in a three-game contest which proved a victory for the Victor boys by a score of 81 points.

The score by games:

1st Victor	882	Cripple Creek	860
2d Victor	957	Cripple Creek	812
3d Victor	806	Cripple Creek	892
	2645		2564

GILLETT YOUTH RETURNED—Johnny Burns, the young man who has been missing from Gillett since Tuesday morning, returned to this city this evening from Denver and said he had been looking at the naval prospects, which he decided did not look good to him so he returned to his home.

MR. HOBBS TO LECTURE ON "EGYPT" TOMORROW EVENING

The lecture on Egypt by Mr. Hobbs under the auspices of the Woman's Educational society will be given tomorrow evening at Perkins Fine Arts hall. The tickets are not on sale but are issued by the board of managers of the Educational society to its friends. However, as the lecture is of unusual interest and some persons may especially desire to be present, a limited number of tickets has been placed in the hands of the librarian of Coburn library. These may be obtained at the library Saturday morning.

CONCERT TONIGHT—Tonight occurs the performance of Offenbach's comedietta, "Breaking the Spell," at the Second Presbyterian church, corner of Seventh and Washington, for the benefit of the music fund. Following the comedietta Mr. Halle has prepared eight excellent concert numbers with sufficient comedy to make the evening mirthful and entertaining.

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According to Reports Ex-Marshal Frank Smith Received Threatening Letters.

Victor Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette.

Victor, Feb. 12.—It is reported that ex-Marshal Frank Smith of Goldfield, did not leave the district because he wanted to, but as the outcome of a number of threats made against his life, which came in the form of anonymous letters. It is also reported that these letters were received by Mr. Smith at various times before he left, and finally culminated in the announcement that his life would pay the price of his remaining in the district. It is further stated that on the evening before he left he was waited upon by three men who warned him to leave town at once. Some people attribute the threats to Smith's connection with the arrest of ore thieves two years ago, which resulted in killing by officers of a man named Shields, and a term in the penitentiary for one or two others; while others are inclined to connect the threats with the recent Westcott trouble which resulted in Westcott's house being dynamited and burned, and forcing Westcott and his family to leave the district.

LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY—The birthday of the first martyred president, Abraham Lincoln was fittingly commemorated in this city today by the members of the Lincoln Republican club, assisted by citizens generally. The club had made elaborate arrangements for the celebration of the event, and the headquarters at the corner of Victor avenue and Fourth street was elaborately decorated for the occasion. Some of the leading speakers of the state and camp addressed the gathering and exercises commemorative of the life and achievements of one of the greatest of Americans were held. This evening the day's celebration closed with a large banquet which was enjoyed by the Lincoln club members and their invited guests, which numbered among them some 15 members of the state legislature. The evening passed off very nicely, and everyone enjoyed himself.

ST. VALENTINE'S PARTY—The members of the Woman's club entertained their husbands and the members of the Twentieth Century club and their wives at a St. Valentine's party in the parlors of the Baptist church this evening, which proved one of the social events of the season.

TROUBLE SETTLED—The Clark Supply company, which has been under the ban of organized labor for several months past, settled the difficulty last night by paying the fine of $100 assessed by the Tinners union, and indorsed by the Trades assembly. The secretary of the Trades assembly received the check from Mr. Clark for the amount, which ends a trouble that has been of long standing, and has been vexatious to all concerned.

FROZEN FEET—E. E. Wheatly, local correspondent for one of the Cripple Creek papers is confined in his room in this city, suffering from frozen feet.

J. D. MURPHY DEAD—J. D. Murphy, aged 55 years, died this morning at the residence of his son-in-law, Tom Forrest, from pleurisy. Funeral will take place from St. Victor's church tomorrow afternoon. Interment will be made at Sunnyside cemetery.

HAND CRUSHED—Tonight at 9:30, W. E. Young, a miner working on the Vindicator No. 1, while moving his drill let it fall and caught his hand between the heavy weight and a rock, mashing it badly. It is believed that amputation will not be necessary.

CHARTER GIVEN FOR NEW RAILROAD LINE TO DENVER

By Associated Press.

Guthrie, O. T., Feb. 12. A territorial charter was granted today to the Oklahoma City & Northwestern Railroad company with Oklahoma City as the principal place of business and with $15,000,000 capital stock. The purpose is to construct a line 540 miles long from Oklahoma City to Denver, Colo., at a total cost of $15,000,000. The road passes through the counties of Oklahoma, Canadian, Kingfisher, Blaine, Dewey, Woods and Woodward in this territory. It is supposed to be a Frisco project, as C. J. Jones, the president of the Frisco lines in Oklahoma is at the head of this new corporation.

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SOCIAL COMMITTEE—A meeting of the social committee of the Epworth league of the First Methodist church was held last night at the home of Miss Mary Proudfoot, 309 East St. Vrain street, to arrange for the Washington's birthday entertainment that is to be given by the members of the Epworth league next Thursday evening.

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CLIQUE VALENTINE SOCIAL—The Valentine social of "The Clique" Sunday school class last night at 517 North Weber street was attended by about 60 persons, despite the unfavorable weather. The colors of the class, red and white, were used in the refreshments and decorations. A thoroughly enjoyable evening was spent.

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PUEBLO EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES IN TROUBLE

Charged With Obtaining Money Under False Pretenses--Bessemer Surprised by New Order.

Pueblo Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette.
With Colorado Securities Company.

Pueblo, Feb. 12. During the past few days there has been quite a turning over among the employment agencies of Pueblo. Several of them have been guaranteeing positions without being able to fulfill their promises. Last night J. R. Hamilton, who is in the business at 312 South Union avenue, was arrested on the charge of securing money from persons on misrepresentations, and was locked up in the city jail. This morning he was fined $50 and costs. The Moffat road seems to be the mecca to which most of the applicants are being sent at the present time, and today two men by the name of Gretzinger and Parks applied to the police with the same kind of complaint against another agency. These two men had been sent to Marshall station, above Denver, and being unable to find anything to do as promised, paid their own fare back. They had receipts for the money they had paid and an officer called on the agency in question and the money was cheerfully refunded, as well as the railway fare for the return trips.

BICYCLE ACCIDENT — A negro named John Allard, who was to have been tried in the police court this morning on a trivial charge, was unable to be there on account of a serious wound which he sustained while riding a bicycle last night. He fell from his wheel and sustained what is supposed to be concussion of the brain. It is thought he may die.

TRADE DIVERTED—A considerable surprise was sprung on the people of Bessemer today in the shape of an order signed by Superintendent J. W. McKennan of the steel works, closing the entrance gate on Northern avenue. Hereafter all employes must enter the works at the new entrance on Cane street, which is five blocks further south and the heavy travel on Bessemer's principal street, Northern avenue, will be turned that way. This will mean that about half of the employes who heretofore traversed Northern avenue, which is full of business houses, will take their street car in the Minnequa addition, near the company's store and office.

JURY ADJOURNED—The coroner's jury in the steel works accident cases adjourned late this afternoon for one week, or until Supt. Crowe, of the converter where the accident occurred, and who was also burned considerably with the hot metal, is able to be present and testify. Mr. Crowe by the way, is not in as good condition as he was thought to be. His burns are more serious than at first appeared and he has also suffered a relapse caused by nervous strain and worry. Some concern is felt about his condition.

WANTED IN BUTTE—Charles Lee, a mulatto, was arrested late this evening by the police department on a telegraphic description from John J. Quinn, sheriff of Silver Bow county, Mont. The charge is not stated, but it is intimated that it is a serious affair of some kind.

FUNERAL—The funeral of Lee Hartman, one of the victims of the steel works' disaster, occurred today from his home in Minnequa Heights. It was largely attended by Woodmen of the World and by the Women of Woodcraft. The funeral of Virgil Tine, assistant superintendent, will take place on Sunday at the Main Street M. E. church. It is expected that the steel works employes will attend in a body.

INDEPENDENCE

Special to the Gazette.

Independence, Feb. 12.—The tenth annual ball of Free Coinage miners union was held tonight in their hall at Altman, and a large number were present. The evening passed off very pleasantly.

Mrs. F. C. Cleverdon entertained a number of her lady friends at a very pleasant dinner party at her home last evening.

The Salvation Army people of Victor held services here last night, drawing a fair-sized crowd.

Justice Wills and Judge Sidlinger are arranging to have an office together on Montgomery avenue.

William Robinson, an oldtimer in this end of the district, left this morning for Grand county, where he expects to do some prospecting along the line of the new Moffat railway.

W. S. Raymond returned to his home in Denver after spending several days in this city with friends.

Mrs. Fellers, succeeded by Miss Thomas in the restaurant here, has left for her home in Greeley, Colo.

Sol Lancto arrived home last night from Denver after putting in a siege of three weeks in the hospital. Mr. Lancto is very much improved.

William Douglass and family today moved their household goods from Denver, and will make this city their future home.

Supt. J. S. Murphy of the Findley mine left for Denver where he will spend several days on business.

E. A. Wickham, shift boss on the Vindicator mine, was united in marriage to Miss Mabel C. Connelly last evening at the bride's home in Victor. The young couple are expecting to make this city their home.

GOLDFIELD

Special to the Gazette.

Goldfield, Feb. 12.—The ladies of the hive of local Maccabees held their regular meeting this afternoon and considered the organization of the Ladies clubs to be composed of members of the order in this city.

Art Curwin, who has been suffering from an abscess in one of his legs for 14 weeks, was out today for the first time. The diseased limb was encased in a cast of plaster of paris.

Mrs. H. C. Van Norman is suffering severely from malignant sore throat at her home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kerz left today for a short visit in Denver.

Postmaster Ault is holding down the postoffice just now, and announces that for the present no successor will be named for Assistant Metzler, who has resigned.

J. M. Menadue and family left last evening for Dover, Del., where they will reside in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carleson have returned from a week's visit in Pueblo.

Mrs. J. H. Morrison returned home yesterday to Salida, after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Rogers.

Miss S. O. Gehart arrived here today after quite a long visit in Boulder, and expects to stay here now until after the trial of the damage suit in the district court against the Vindicator Mining company for the death of her nephew.

MALE STENOGRAPHERS WANTED. Some young men seem to have the idea that the young ladies have crowded them out of the shorthand profession. These young men are mistaken. In order to learn how badly they are mistaken, it would be well for them to read the new illustrated booklet entitled "A Stepping Stone to Success," which has just been published by the Remington Typewriter Company. This booklet says that the present demand for young men stenographers greatly exceeds the supply. Coming from such a source, this statement is conclusive, because it is well known that the Remington Typewriter Company annually places more stenographers in positions than any other medium in the world. Of equal interest is the fact, also clearly proved by this booklet, that stenography affords the surest means of advancement for a bright young man. The booklet contains the story of nearly 50 prominent men who are or have been stenographers, and the majority of these give their own personal testimony concerning the way in which they have been helped by shorthand.

"A Stepping Stone to Success" tells facts which should be known to every young man who is just starting out in life.

Word was received in this city yesterday that Miss Virginia Estill, daughter of Dr. J. T. Estill, who is attending the Columbia School of Music in Chicago, had fallen on an icy pavement and fractured her arm. The accident will prevent her from continuing her instrumental instruction for some time but will not interfere with her vocal lessons.

THE ESQUIMO

The Esquimo eats blubber. The lumbermen eat pork. These people are constantly exposed to cold and physical strain. Experience has taught them that fatty foods give warmth and nourishment.

For those who have cold and thin bodies, or are threatened with consumption or any wasting disease, there is no fat so digestible and palatable a form as Scott's Emulsion. Physicians prescribe it.

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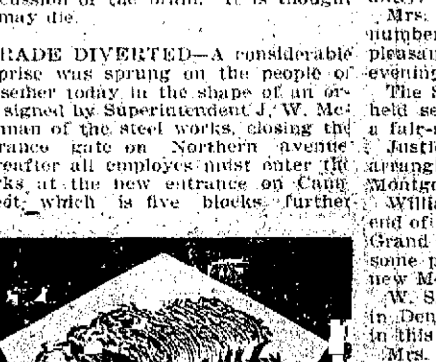

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As Toast it replaces bread and perfectly nourishes the whole body.

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Bargain Table No. 1, Men's $3.50 and $4 shoes	$2.48
Bargain Table No. 2, Men's $2.50 and $3 shoes	$1.98
Bargain Table No. 3, Men's $2.00 shoes	$1.69
Bargain Table No. 4, Ladies' $2 and $3 shoes	$1.98
Bargain Table No. 5, Ladies' $2.00 shoes	$1.48
Bargain Table No. 6, Ladies' and Misses' $1.50 and $2.00 shoes	$1.24
Bargain Table No. 7, Ladies' and Children's shoes	98c
Bargain Table No. 8, Boys' and Children's slippers	58c

CALL IN AND LOOK THEM OVER.

J. Elmer Cox Shoe Co.
Successor to Herring & Cox
107 S. Tejon St. Opposite Kaufman's

MINERS' STRIKE SETTLED ITSELF

MEN WHO QUIT AT THE DANVILLE MINE WENT BACK TO WORK.

Action Was Voluntary on the Part of the Men, Who Will Continue Negotiations While Working.

The miners employed at the Danville mine of the Pike's Peak Coal company, who walked out Tuesday noon because their pay checks did not reach the mine, returned to work yesterday morning, after a loss of only a day and a half's time. This action was not the result of any negotiations between them and the officers of the company, nor through the influence of any officer of the union. It is understood that President Hawley intends visiting the city within a few days, when further action regarding the matter may be taken.

MR. ABBOT WILL LECTURE TONIGHT ON GOOD ROADS

The officers of the El Paso Good Roads association are in hopes of there being a large attendance at the lecture given under the auspices of the association by James W. Abbott in Perkins hall this evening. Mr. Abbott is the special agent in this region for the government department of good road inquiry, and has been making an examination of conditions in the west. His lecture will be one of interest to the public and will be free.

Rev. Carlisle P. B. Martin, L. L. D. Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first rising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm, which produces a cough, and is very hard to dislodge, but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons, needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." Prices 25c, 50c, $1.00 bottle, at Hefley-Arcularius Co.

Read the Gazette Want Columns.

HEAVIER RAILS ON THE SANTA FE.

During 1903 the Santa Fe will lay about 350 miles of main line track on its lines east of Albuquerque with new 85-lb steel rails. It is expected that 300 miles of equally heavy rails will be spiked down on its lines in Arizona, California and Texas. This will about complete the work begun in 1901, whereby the 75-lb. rail is to be the minimum of weight for Santa Fe system main tracks. Millions of dollars have already been expended in cutting down grades, raising fills, putting in iron bridges and straightening curves. Today the Santa Fe roadbed is the best in the southwest. This is why spectacular runs can be made with safety on that noted transcontinental highway.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Wm. Strachan left yesterday for New Orleans for one month.

R. S. McCracken, Mrs. J. S. McCracken and Miss L. McCracken of Philadelphia, are among the guests at the Antlers.

Adolf Donath of Ft. Collins, is stopping at the Alta Vista. Mr. Donath is grand master of the Odd Fellows in Colorado.

J. M. Ellison, city passenger agent of the Denver & Rio Grande, is confined to his home, 704 North Tejon street, with an attack of la grippe.

J. W. Long, postmaster at Ouray, passed through this city en route to Kansas City. He stopped off in Colorado Springs for a short time and paid the local office a visit.

Mrs. Frank E. Baldwin of Pueblo, wife of the well-known land office attorney, is in this city for a few days, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Holden, at 112 South Fifth street.

Charles L. France and wife of Columbus, Ohio, are stopping at the Alta Vista. Mr. France is city ticket agent of the Ohio Central lines at Columbus and is in Colorado on business connected with the Christian Endeavor convention to be held in Denver this July.

OPERA HOUSE

MONDAY, FEB. 16.

NEW YORK'S [illegible] SUCCESS

The Fatal Wedding

A PLAY OF GREAT HEART INTEREST.

PRICES [illegible]
Reserved seats on sale at the Santa Fe Ticket Office.

Dr. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION FOR WEAK WOMEN.

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For [illegible] years the only safe and reliable Female Regulator for all troubles. Relieves within 3 days. At druggists, or by mail. Price, $2. Free trial of "Tansy" and "Woman's Safe Guard" for 10c. Address Wilcox Specific Medicine Co., 329 N. 15th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

SANTE FE WAGES

By Associated Press.

Topeka, Kas., Feb. [illegible] The national officers of the trainmen and conductors arrived [illegible] and [illegible] conferences regarding the Santa Fe wage [illegible] [illegible] with [illegible] [illegible] would [illegible] be [illegible].

[illegible] Ballard's Horehound Syrup stops a cold and removes the cause of colds. 25c, 50c and $1.00 bottle at Hefley-Arcularius Co.

IT IS IMPORTANT

To make reservations early on European steamships. A great many Colorado Springs people have already done so for their coming spring trip. If you think of going to Europe and have made no arrangements, permit us to suggest that it would be a good idea for you to drop into the Rock Island City Ticket Office, No. 2 Pike's Peak Ave. the first time you are down town and look over the sailing lists, rate sheets, etc. [illegible] for your trip. We represent all lines and will take pleasure in assisting you to a choice. W. W. Wood, C. P. A.

DOUBLE TRACKING THE SANTA FE.

Passenger and freight traffic on the Santa Fe has grown so heavy that the management of that line has found it necessary to lay a second track at [illegible] where trains are most numerous. It is expected that the 1903 double-tracking of the [illegible] cut-off will be nearly completed Holliday to Emporia. The main line from Chicago to Joliet may be similarly improved. When these are all have all been made the Santa Fe will have approximately 135 miles of double track.

A day in Denver. Take the Santa Fe. The trains will give best service. Pocket time card at city office.

[illegible] Warnings
THE LAST WEEK
Kaufman's
CLEARANCE CLOTHING SALE

Colorado City News

Headquarters at the Office of the Colorado City Realty Co.—Postoffice.

COLORADO CITY, FEBRUARY 13.

[illegible] Wants a Building

The Colorado City Athletic club has appointed J. V. Ferris as a committee of one to look after the raising of funds for the erection of a new building for the use of the club as a club house. Mr. Ferris is working very hard in this matter and is doing remarkably well. He expects to raise $2,000 for this purpose and has over one-fourth of the amount subscribed and as much more promised by men who are as good as their word. Several prominent citizens of Colorado Springs have given liberally.

The site for the building has not yet been chosen, but the boys expect to erect a fine building on some suitable location and fit it up with apparatus and everything required to make this as complete and attractive as anything of its kind in the three cities. There is a large population of working men here and all take an interest in the club and the railway and mill companies have promised their aid in the matter.

BRIEF CITY ITEMS

MARRIED—Mr. John Dempsey of Colorado City, and Sophia Thompson of Au Sable, Iosco county, Michigan, were united in marriage Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, February 10, 1903, at the residence of John Neiswinter on Colorado avenue, by Rev. J. P. Lucas, in the presence of a few invited guests. An excellent dinner was served.

ELOCUTION CLASS—Miss Brooks of Colorado Springs, has organized a class in elocution, meeting on Wednesday afternoons at 4 o'clock. The class meets at 323 Jefferson avenue, with Mrs. Irvin.

NEW STOCK—Mrs. M. Sawyer is remodeling her millinery store and making room for her new stock. She has just returned from Denver where she has been for the past few days and has purchased a very large stock of spring goods.

DIED—Clarence Hays Haden died of diphtheria at the home of his parents, 202 Main street, on the south side, at 10:40 a. m., on February 11. He was two years, 14 months and 10 days old. The funeral took place from the home yesterday forenoon at 10 o'clock. The interment was in Fairview cemetery.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The anniversary of Lincoln's birthday was observed in all the schools with appropriate readings and quotations.

Some new text books in literature for the ninth and 10th grades have been received.

The reading circle composed of several of the teachers met at the home of Fred Schreiber and was delightfully entertained by Miss Lena Boss Wednesday evening.

A parents meeting will be held at the Bancroft school on Friday, February 20, at 2:30 p. m. All the parents are urged to be present. Questions of mutual interest to all will be discussed.

The eighth grade has taken up civics as a regular study and the members of the class are much interested and pleased.

The children are being made thoroughly acquainted with the new rules and regulations in all the schools and grades.

Most of the grade rooms have an old-fashioned spelling school every Friday afternoon.

Prof. Mullen of the Midland and the sixth and seventh grades have made elaborate plans for St. Valentine's day. They will have a postoffice and send valentines to each other. The room is also very prettily decorated with appropriate designs.

Mable Robbie and a playmate were walking up the street yesterday afternoon on their way to school, when a horse and buggy appeared from behind suddenly and the one little girl got out of the way but Mable was knocked down and the wheels of the buggy passed over her body. She was but slightly hurt.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Mae Smeltser is taking a vacation and her desk at Mr. Marts' store is vacant for a few weeks.

Mr. David Kinch will leave next Wednesday for Pittsburg, Pa., and will accept a position as a blacksmith at that place in the Pennsylvania railway shops.

Mrs. B. L. Trimble will leave for Texas tomorrow where she will join her husband who has been there for some time.

Mrs. M. A. Ascough who has been very sick for several days, is reported to be improving.

Mrs. Ed. Miller starts for Boise City today.

Walter Robbie is out of school on account of rheumatism.

George H. Ford, an employe of the Colorado Midland shops, is confined to his bed on account of sickness.

Mr. Walker will move his family to California.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
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Amusements

"HON. JOHN GRIGSBY."

Sol Smith Russell's play, "Hon. John Grigsby," will be seen for the first time in this city at the Opera house next Thursday evening by James Neill and company. He appeared for the first time last evening. The play was written by Charles Klein, and has been reconstructed by Langdon Mitchell. The presentation of "Hon. John Grigsby" by Mr. Keenan is said to lack nothing to make it complete in every detail. The scenes of the play, which is of a political character are laid in Illinois during the slavery days. The conditions existing at that time are more fully appreciated by elderly people, but they are said to be so vividly illustrated by Mr. Neill that a modern, up-to-date audience is keenly alive to the dramatic situations. As the honest, sympathetic lawyer, and tender, affectionate father, Mr. Neill is said to display rare dramatic talent that will surely keep him to the fore in the theatrical profession. He brings out to the full all there is in "Hon. John Grigsby," and no one can do better. Mr. Ne[illegible] is supported in an able manner.

"SAN TOY."

There are 26 musical numbers in "San Toy," which is being presented by the Augustin Daly Musical company and each of these numbers is said to be a "gem" as the expression goes. The music of "San Toy" was written primarily by Sydney Jones with some assistance from Lionel Monckton, while the lyrics are by Harry Greenbank and Adrian Ross and the book by Edward Morton. A plethora of "cooks" it would seem; but such has not been the case as "San Toy" has been acknowledged to be one of the most successful of all of the English musical comedies and enjoyed wonderful long "runs" both in London and New York. It was so popular in New York that it was brought back to Daly's theater no less than three times for extended engagements, a remarkable record, when it is considered that no other musical play has ever been on Broadway more than once. "San Toy" is being given on the road in the same complete manner that characterized its appearances at Daly's both as to costuming, scenic equipment and excellence of the cast. In fact the company is practically the same as that seen in the metropolis and in order that the performance may be absolutely perfect an orchestra is carried by and is a part of the organization. "San Toy" comes to the Opera house on next Tuesday evening.

WILLIAM GILLETTE.

Theater goers in Denver are talking of but little else these days than the coming visit of William Gillette in his wonderful play, "Sherlock Holmes," which opens at the Broadway theater on Monday, February 23, for a season of one week with a Saturday matinee. William Gillette is unquestionably the greatest of the American actors as well as of the American playwrights. It is five years since he was last seen here in "Secret Service" and for the past four years he has been playing "Sherlock Holmes." This play, which is founded on the character made famous by Dr. Conan Doyle, is described as the most thrillingly interesting play ever seen on any stage, and Mr. Gillette's impersonation of the character has created the greatest sensation known in the theatrical world in many years. He has played the piece for one entire season in New York and another in London, England, and one season was spent among the principal eastern cities. This is Mr. Gillette's fourth and last season in the play and Denver theater patrons are considering themselves fortunate in being able to see Mr. Gillette in his famous character. The company which will support him at the Broadway theater will be identical with that seen in New York and in London in every particular. The electrical effects which he introduces in the play are said to be the most startling ever introduced to the stage.

RING WORM AND DANDRUFF.

They Are Each Caused by a Pestiferous Germ.

Ring worm and dandruff are somewhat similar in their origin; each is caused by a parasite. The germ that causes dandruff digs to the root of the hair, and saps its vitality, causing falling hair, and, finally, baldness. Without dandruff there would never be baldness, and to cure dandruff it is necessary to kill the germ. There has been no hair preparation that would do this until the discovery of Newbro's Herpicide, which positively kills the dandruff germ, allays itching instantly and makes hair glossy and soft as silk. At all druggists. Take no substitutes. There is nothing "just as good." Sold by leading druggists. Send 10 cents in stamps for sample to the Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

Read the Gazette Want Columns.

A Naval Bully.

One day, perceiving a man-of-war in port, and a fine-looking officer on the quarter deck walking to and fro under an awning, I ventured on board, and accosted him, with all due respect, as I thought then, and as I still believe. I have quite forgotten what I was starting to say, but I remember well the curt command that cut me short: "Take off your hat when you address a gentleman!" uttered without discontinuing his walk, or turning his face, which he carried straight before him.

If he had hurled a binnacle at me, or a bow-anchor, or anything else naval and characteristic, I couldn't have been more astounded. As he wore his own cap (handsomely gold-laced, as I set him in my mind's eye still), and we were in the open air but for the awning, I couldn't possibly see how I had merited so brutal a rebuff. I stared at him a moment, stifling with astonishment and humiliation, and indignant enough to hurl back at him anything in his own line, a capstan or a forecastle—I was too angry to make a discriminating choice. Fortunately I had sense enough left to reflect that he was in his own little kingdom, and that if I wasn't pleased with the manners and customs of the country the sooner I took myself out of it the better. I turned my back on him abruptly and left the ship, choking down my wrath, but thinking intently (too late, as was my habit) of the killing sarcastic retort I might have made.

Thus was quenched in me the last flickering ember of inclination for a seafaring life.—(J. T. Trowbridge in the February Atlantic.

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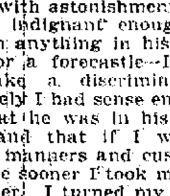
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WANTED—An energetic, intelligent lady or gentleman, wishing business that will pay them a good salary and expenses paid, call today after 10 o'clock. Room 10, Cheyenne Apartments.

WANTED—Girls, general work; waitress, $30; woman cook, $25; man and wife for ranch; ranch man, $20; two milkers, $30. "National," 30 S. Tejon.

WANTED—500 people to buy all kinds of unredeemed watches, diamond rings and musical instruments. Myers Loan office, 22 East Huerfano.

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WANTED—You to know that we can get you a position if you take a course at Henager's Business College.

WANTED—Union carpenters to exchange work for lots. Hastings Bros., 22 North Tejon street.

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WANTED—Man acquainted with city to hustle orders. Apply to 28 E. Kiowa.

WANTED—Competent waitress. Apply Mrs. R. P. Bartlett 1205 N. Cascade.

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YOUNG MAN wants any office position; stenography, typewriting, bookkeeping. Seven years Wall street. Address S. Box 975, City.

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WANTED—Laundry work. 709 N. Corona.

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

RANCH and pasture lands wanted. Those having tracts for sale and for lease, that control water and range, address with location, description and price, both for sale and lease, C. M. S., Gazette office.

WANTED— To buy for cash, fresh milk cows, calves and yearling steers. Call or address. T. J. Brown, 605 Cheyenne Road.

WANTED—50 ladies to get our new style dress and walking skirts, suits in later. $1.00 per week. 25 E. Kiowa.

WANTED—Party to take one-half car to California. Address O., 175, Gazette.

WANTED—Party to take half car going to Grand Junction. 19 E. Moreno.

TO RENT—BUSINESS

FOR RENT—Two office rooms in connection in the new Mining Exchange Bldg. Address, G., Gazette.

TO RENT—A good piano cheap. Call or address, Macy, 403 S. Tejon St.

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$100 REWARD for information which will supply proof of birth of boy now in Chicago. Mother went a stranger to Colorado Springs or vicinity about May, 1891, when boy was born. Mother left shortly after birth, returned about a month after for child and took him away. Describe mother in order to identify. All information confidential. Address R., 34, care Lord & Thomas, Chicago.

EUROPEAN VACATION PARTY. Sixth personally-conducted excursion. Belgium, Holland, Germany, Austria, Italy, Switzerland, France and England. June to September. For prospectus address Frank L. Walker, (High School), Box 1071, Colorado Springs, Colo.

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3-room house, lot 60x190 feet, good location, for $650.00. $50 down, balance monthly or to suit.

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4-room house, lot 60x125, for $850. $125 cash balance to suit.

4-room brick, with bath, new, for $1,200.

4-room, bath, electric lights, nice and neat, close in, for $1,500. $500 cash, balance on time. Don't overlook this.

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Wholesale business $1,200

Grocery, good location $1,000

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Rooming-house in Colorado City, [illegible] rooms; a snap $200

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LOST—Steel bead chatelaine bag, between High school and Cascade avenue, on Bijou. Return to Gazette office. Reward.

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LOST—"Stormer" wheel Saturday. Liberal reward for return to Collender Billiard hall.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF DEFERRED ANNUAL MEETING.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Jan. 22, 1903.

The deferred annual meeting of the stockholders of The Blue Bell Mining & Milling and Prospecting Company, for the election of trustees for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting, will be held at the office of the company at the Inter-Ocean Hotel, in Cheyenne, Wyoming, on Monday, February 23, 1903, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

The stock transfer books will be closed at 12 o'clock p. m. on February 16, [illegible] and re-open at 10 o'clock a. m. on the day succeeding the final adjournment of said meeting.

W. M. A. OTIS, Secretary.

SEALED BIDS
Will be received by the City Clerk of Colorado Springs, until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, February 16th, 1903, for the removal of the entire City Garbage for one year under the direction and regulation of the Health Commissioner.

A copy of the garbage ordinance can be seen at the City Clerk's or Health Commissioner's office. A bond for the faithful performance of the contract will be required. Certified check for 10 per cent. of the bid to accompany each proposal. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the City Council.
K. M. MacMILLAN
City Clerk.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Little Miami Mining and Prospecting company for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting will be held February 18, 1903, at 3:30 p. m., at the First National Bank, Colorado Springs.

J. E. LUNDSTROM,
Secretary.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between M. S. Herring and J. E. Cox, under the firm name of Herring & Cox, is this day, February 7, 1903, dissolved by mutual consent. J. E. Cox will continue the business, pay all bills of said firm.

M. S. Herring,
J. E. Cox.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES

DENVER & RIO GRANDE R. R.

FOR DENVER AND EAST

No.	Lv. Colo. Spgs.	Arr. Denver.
No. 16	4:35 a. m.	7:15 a. m.
No. 6	7:06 a. m.	9:30 a. m.
No. 12	9:15 a. m.	11:15 a. m.
No. 8	10:42 a. m.	12:60 noon
No. 2	1:36 p. m.	3:40 p. m.
No. 10	3:32 p. m.	6:00 p. m.
No. 4	6:51 p. m.	9:15 p. m.

FROM DENVER FOR COLORADO SPRINGS.

No.	Lv. Denver.	Arr. Colo. Spgs.
No. 5	8:00 a. m.	10:24 a. m.
No. 1	9:30 a. m.	11:58 a. m.
No. 9	1:15 p. m.	3:50 p. m.
No. 7	4:00 p. m.	6:10 p. m.
No. 11	5:00 p. m.	7:00 p. m.
No. 3	8:00 p. m.	10:32 p. m.
No. 15	9:30 p. m.	1:03 a. m.

MANITOU TRAINS

Lv. Colo. Springs		Arr. Manitou.	
No. 41	8:00 a. m.	No. 42	6:50 a. m.
No. 43	11:06 p. m.	No. 44	12:45 p. m.
No. 45	6:16 p. m.	No. 46	6:55 p. m.

City Ticket Office, No. 16 N. Tejon.
J. M. Ellison, G. A.

RIO GRANDE TRAINS
FOR DENVER AND EAST.

No. 16—Leave Colorado Springs 4:35 a. m. (Sleeper, chair car, coaches.) Arr. Denver 7:15 a. m.

No. 6—Leave Colorado Springs 7:06 a. m. (Sleeper and chair car, coaches, dining car.) Arrive Denver 9:30 a. m.

No. 12—Leave Colorado Springs 9:15 a. m. (Sleeper and chair car, coaches.) Arrive Denver 11:15 a. m.

No. 8—Leave Colorado Springs 10:42 a. m. (Observation car and coaches.) Arrive Denver 12:45 noon.

No. 2—Leave Colorado Springs 1:36 p. m. (Sleeper, chair car, coaches, dining car.) Arrive Denver 3:40 p. m.

No. 10—Leave Colorado Springs 3:32 p. m. (Chair car and coaches.) Arrive Denver 6:00 p. m.

No. 4—Leave Colorado Springs 6:51 p. m. (Sleeper, chair car, coaches, dining car.) Arrive Denver 9:15 p. m.

Through sleeper to Chicago on Trains 2 and 4, without change.

ROCK ISLAND SYSTEM

LEAVE COLORADO SPRINGS.

No. 6—Vestibuled Limited for Chicago and St. Louis, via Kansas City, St. Joe and Omaha .... 4:40 pm

No. 10—Kansas City, St. Joseph, Omaha and St. Louis .... 3:00 pm

No. 5—Limited to Pueblo .... 7:40 am

No. 42—Rocky Mountain Limited leaves .... 1:20 pm

ARRIVE COLORADO SPRINGS.

No. 41—Rocky Mountain Limited to Chicago via Omaha, arrives .... 8:20 pm

No. 5—Vestibuled Limited from Chicago .... 7.25 am

No. 9—Fast Express from Kansas City, St. Joseph, Omaha and St. Louis .... 10:35 am

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Depot—East Pike's Peak Ave. (Union Passenger Station.)

No. North Bound.

7—For Denver and Central City .... 4.50 am
5—For Denver, Boulder and East .... 6.55 am
1—For Denver, Chicago, St. L. .... 1:00 pm
15—For Denver, via Manitou Jct .... 6.30 am
607—For Denver and East .... 10.55 am
603—For Denver .... 3:35 pm
—For Denver, Chicago, St. Louis and East .... 6 40 pm

South Bound.

608—For Pueblo .... 6 40 am
4—For Pueblo .... 11:05 am
2—For Pueblo, Trinidad and Texas .... 2:30 pm
602—For Pueblo and East .... 6.55 pm
6—For Pueblo and Chicago .... 10:30 pm
16—From Denver, via Manitou Junction (arrives) .... 6 00 pm
8—For Pueblo, Trinidad, Ft. Worth and the south .... 12.05 am

J. H. Springer,
Commercial Agent.
Phone 21. 15 North Tejon.

FLORENCE & CRIPPLE CREEK RAILROAD

(And Associated Roads.)
VIA D. & R. G. R. R.

Leave Denver	9.30 am	9 30 pm
Leave Colo. Springs	11.58 am	12 08 am
Leave Pueblo	1:28 pm	1.35 am
Leave Florence	2.35 pm	
Leave Canon City		6.45 am
Arrive Victor	4:58 pm	9.03 am
Arrive Cripple Creek	5 20 pm	9:30 am
Leave Cripple Creek	10 00 am	7 30 pm
Leave Victor	10.25 am	8 00 pm
Arrive Canon City		10 15 pm
Arrive Florence	12 37 pm	
Arrive Pueblo	1 42 pm	2 40 am
Arrive Colo. Springs	3.22 pm	4 25 am
Arrive Denver	6.00 pm	7:15 am

MIDLAND TERMINAL RAILWAY
TIME TABLE.

No. 8—Colorado Springs Express leaves Cripple Creek 8 a. m.; arrives Colorado Springs 10:45 a. m.

No. 12—Denver Express leaves Cripple Creek 3:30 p. m.; arrives Colorado Springs 6 20 p. m.

No. 9—Cripple Creek Mail leaves Colorado Springs 11 a. m.; arrives Cripple Creek 1:45 p. m.

No. 11—Cripple Creek Flyer, leaves Colorado Springs 6 30 p. m.; arrives Cripple Creek 9.15 p. m.

COLORADO SPRINGS & CRIPPLE CREEK DISTRICT RAILWAY.

(The Short Line.)
WEST BOUND.
DAILY.

No. 5—Lv. Colorado Springs .... 10 [illegible] am
Ar. Cripple Creek .... 1 20 pm
No. 7—Lv. Colorado Springs .... 6 30 pm
Ar. Cripple Creek .... 9 [illegible] pm

EAST BOUND.

No. [illegible]—Lv. Cripple Creek .... 5 [illegible] am
Ar. Colorado Springs .... [illegible] am
No. 4—Lv. Cripple Creek .... 4 00 pm
Ar. Colorado Springs .... 6 40 pm

Through trains of day coaches between Denver and Cripple Creek are run over the D. & R. G. R. R. to and from Colorado Springs.

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City Ticket Office, No. 16 N. Tejon St.

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BRIEF CITY ITEMS

DAILY WEATHER RECORD.

The following meteorological record is furnished by the Colorado college weather bureau. Observations recorded in local time

Feb 11 6 p m to Feb 12, 6 p m	
Temperature at 6 a m	8
Temperature at 12 m	9
Temperature at 6 p m	6
Maximum temperature	22
Minimum temperature	6
Mean temperature	9
Max barometric pressure inches	2 73
Min barometric pressure inches	3 62
Mean velocity of wind per hour	8
Max velocity of wind per hour	16
Relative humidity at 6 a m	81
Relative humidity at 12 m	90
Relative humidity at 6 p m	98
Mean relative humidity	89
Mean dew point	6
Precipitation in inches	16

WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington Feb 12 —Forecast for Colorado Snow Friday Saturday fair, not so cold in eastern portion

Satisfied people wear Ashby s spectacles

BORN—February 1, 1903 to Mr and Mrs H L Shantz 2001 Armstrong ave a son

After February 1 th admission to Cheyenne canon will be 50 cents except on Sunday when it will be 25 cents

CALEDONIANS MEET—The regular meeting of the Caledonian society was held last evening in Caledonian hall

WOMAN S CLUB—The voice culture class of the art and literature department will meet today 4 p m at the Alta Vista

VIOLETS —VIOLETS —VIOLETS—Single or double $1 00 per 100 at the Crump Greenhouse Special attention given to telephone orders 501 E Columbia street Phone Main 500

EL PASO LODGE—There will be a stated convocation of El Paso lodge No 13 A F & A M this evening at 7 30 Visiting members cordially invited to be present

HILLSIDE SOCIETY—The Hillside Improvement society held its regular meeting last evening at the Christian chapel on East Moreno avenue There was a good attendance and considerable important business was transacted

W R C ENTERTAINMENT—A patriotic entertainment will be given by the Woman s Relief Corps with light refreshments this afternoon in the Caledonian hall in honor of Abraham Lincoln s birthday The public is invited

FOR BEGGING—George Audreknick was begging from house to house and when caught in the act by the police had in his pockets about $4 20 in nickels He appeared in police court, was fined $20 and taken to jail

AT MANITOU—Mrs F D Fox will give a Solomon candy and taffy pull Saturday night for the benefit of St Andrew s church Squat Shandodaya who is in Manitou for a few days will tell fortunes at the party

VALENTINE SOCIAL—A Valentine social for the benefit of Woman s union section 3 of the First Christian church will be given tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs Bainter 508 E Cimarron street Friends of the church invited

POSTPONED—The announcement has been made that Mr and Mrs Lowell would be at home this evening Owing to Mr Lowell s being suddenly called to Idaho Springs the event has been postponed Announcement of the new date will be made later

MEETS TONIGHT—The Precinct Thirty one Improvement society will meet this evening at 841 East Kiowa street with Mr and Mrs J E Read, promptly at 8 o clock All property owners and all who are interested in improvements on the east side are cordially invited to attend

REMEMBERED LINCOLN — St John s Baptist church was filled with a representative gathering of the colored people of the city at the Lincoln memorial exercises given under the auspices of the ladies of the church The program was composed of literary and musical features and those who attended passed an enjoyable evening

MOTHERS COUNCIL—Mothers council of Hillside meet on Friday afternoon at 2 30 o clock with Mrs Brunn 841 E Costilla street John G Whittier is the American author to be discussed and members will respond to roll call by quotations from Whittier All the members are requested to attend to make the final arrangements for the Colonial social to be given by the council on February 20

HOME AND EDUCATION — The home and education department of the Woman s club will hold its fifth regular meeting at the Alta Vista Saturday Feb 14 This meeting will be of special interest Judge Robert Kerr will lecture on Law in Relation to Women Two other subjects of importance will be treated as follows Benevolence by Miss Ida Clothier and The Choice of a Life Pursuit by Mrs Susan H F Gray

INCORPORATED—Articles of incorporation of the Colorado City Athletic club were filed yesterday in the county clerk s office The objects of the organization are stated to be physical culture and pastime and social enjoyment The affairs and management of the club will be under the control of G W Tiger G F Geiger, J A Slutter Lewis T Leyle and John Nelswinter These men are the directors and incorporators

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9-4 Bleached Pepperell and Salsbury Sheeting.
19c yard

10-4 Bleached Pepperell and Salsbury Sheeting
20c yard

9-4 Unbleached Pepperell Sheeting
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Any $2 50 Waist for	$1 10
Any $3 00 Waist for	$1 25
Any $3 00 Waist for	$1 30
Any $3 50 Waist for	$1 60
Any $4 00 Waist for	$2 00
Any $5 00 Waist for	$2 15

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21 inch	85c
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27 inch	$1 25
36 inch	$1 50

[illegible] TAFFETAS 65c
CORDED TAFFETA 85c
NEW GRENADINES [illegible]
GRENADINES [illegible]

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9 lbs Sweet Potatoes - - - 25c	2 Large Fancy Mackerel - - 35c
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2 Cans Sugar Corn - - - - 15c	8 Golden Bloaters - - - - 25c
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